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## NEW HOUSES

A Building Boom Has Been on in Seymour This Year.

Twenty-five houses are now in course of erection in the city or have been completed within the last two weeks. Fourteen of these are in the Second ward and in the suburbs on that side of the city but building has been quite general over the city.

The two story residence of Mr. and Mrs. U. F. Lewis at Sixth and Walnut is an up to date residence with all modern improvements. A long concrete porch with concrete columns faces Walnut street and there is also a concrete porch at the rear. The residence contains eight rooms and is nearly completed.

The residence which Mr. Lewis is building next door south is also well advanced and will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brown as soon as it is completed. It also contains eight rooms with bath and other conveniences. Both of these residences have large basements and will be heated by furnaces.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, just north of the high school is making rapid progress and should be ready for occupancy before many weeks. Like the residence of Mr. Lewis it has one of the best locations in the city. It will be two stories and will be one of the best homes on that street.

The new residence which Geo. Collins is completing is located on north Walnut just north of the home where he has resided for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Collins will occupy the new residence at once. Their other house has been rented several weeks in advance.

The two story residence which R. M. Kindig is building just west of Walnut on Seventh street will be completed in a few weeks and was sold several days ago to Dr. L. M. Mains, Jr., who will move his family there as soon as it is completed. The location is an excellent one.

Mr. Kindig began another two story residence recently on the next lot west. Both will be modern and will be built on the same general plan. All these are on high ground where the drainage facilities are excellent.

The residence of Wm. F. Adam on west Seventh is already plastered and will be a convenient five room cottage. It is being well built and will be attractive as well as substantial.

The residences of Mr. Kelsh and Mr. Loefler were begun only a few weeks ago and will not be ready for occupancy for several weeks. Both will be one story cottages with modern conveniences.

Stanfield and Carlson have one cottage pretty well completed and commenced a second one only a few weeks ago. These are located just beyond Central avenue in a section that has been building up rapidly in late years.

The third residence in the Read-Jordan addition is being completed

and the fourth one will be ready before many weeks. This addition has given quite an impetus to the building boom in the Second ward and has perhaps had much to do in increasing the number of new residences that are being built this fall. These are all modern residences that will be in demand.

The new cottage residence of Mrs. Sophia Schneck which is nearly completed on west Fifth street is in a good residence locality as is quite in keeping with the other residences in that vicinity.

Besides these fourteen residences a number of others have been completed during the past few weeks perhaps all of which have already been mentioned in these columns. Stanfield and Carlson will build four cottages altogether on the west side, two besides the ones that are already in course of erection.

A. L. Thias, who recently moved into the Second ward from Washington township, has built an addition to his new home on El Dorado avenue, put in a cellar, built a porch, erected a new barn and made other improvements.

The beautiful residence of Mrs. John Lauster on north Ewing street is nearly completed. William Burkley has the work well advanced on a new residence on east Laurel street and has a second one started on the adjoining lot. The Enterprise Lumber Company is building two more residences on Louisville avenue in the Third ward near their lumber yards. The plasterers have their work done on the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Short in the East Side Park addition and this will be occupied as soon as the interior finishing is completed. The new residence which John Grelle is erecting on west Brown street west of the Seulke grocery, is nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy about holiday time. The new residence of James Honan at the corner of Broadway and Third streets is in course of erection and will be completed during the winter.

All of these twenty-two residences and many more which are being built will be occupied and yet several of the thirty-five or forty families who have been wanting houses will not be accommodated. Not in ten years have there been as many new residences built in Seymour in one year as there have been this year and at least twenty-five more should be started at once.

## Attention Woodmen!

Election of officers for the year 1909 at the regular meeting Wednesday night. All members urged to be present.

W. H. LEMP, C.  
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GEO. F. MEYER, Clerk.

## Want Ad. Did It.

The lost pin advertised in the REPUBLICAN Monday was returned to the owner before the papers were off the press.

## Piano Tuning.

Four years factory experience. First class work. Call or address Estel Hancock, Seymour, Ind.

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## ROBBED

Braxton Foist of Redding Township Loses \$385.

Monday night three hundred and eighty-five dollars was taken from the home of Braxton Foist who lives in Redding township about a mile and a half east of Redding station.

In addition to the money taken was a check for a considerable amount which Mr. Foist had received a day or two ago. He has notified the banks not to cash the check if it should be presented.

About eight o'clock Tuesday morning a warrant was sworn out before Squire Congdon for the arrest of John Brooks, charging him with the theft. Brooks is a relative of the Foists and has been visiting there for three or four weeks. He is a man thirty to thirty-five years old and formerly kept a saloon at Indianapolis.

Mr. Foist's suspicions were first aroused in the morning by the strong odor of chloroform in the house. A hasty examination showed that his money was gone; and going to the room where Brooks had been sleeping he found that the man had gone to bed Monday night but probably had arisen soon afterward, made use of the chloroform to keep the others sleeping, and gone. No trace of the missing man has yet been secured.

## Mountain Climbers.

The Des Moines (New Mexico) Swastika publishes the following story of mountain climbing by Mr. and Mrs. Wohrer and daughter, who formerly lived near Hayden.

"The Wohrer family of this place seems to hold all the top records for mountain climbing. About a year ago Mr. Wohrer, in company with two other men named Harwell and McKinzie, the last named being a professional mountain climber, went to the top of Sierra Grande and back in three hours and thirty minutes, a distance reputed to be sixteen miles. Two hours were consumed in making the ascent and one hour and thirty minutes coming down. But last Sunday Catherine Alice, the five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wohrer, did something that perhaps no one of her age ever has done or will do again. She walked from her home in Des Moines to the top of Sierra Grande and back, starting at 11 o'clock in the forenoon and returning at 6:30 in the evening. For a girl who was but five years old last June this walk of sixteen miles, a good portion of which is very rugged and steep, is remarkable.

## Pleasant Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Barnum were given a pleasant surprise Monday evening at their new home at the corner of St Louis avenue and Poplar street. Mrs. Barnum was formerly Miss Frances Quinn and the couple were married only last week. They were expecting to entertain one or two friends Monday evening but were not expecting quite so many. About fifteen came in shortly before eight o'clock and spent the evening in a social way. Mr. and Mrs. Barnum received a number of beautiful presents which their friends brought along as a further evidence of their esteem and good wishes. The evening was a very pleasant one and was very much enjoyed by the host and hostess as well as by the guests.

## Recital Tonight.

Ludwig Becker, concert master and violinist of the Theodore Thomas Orchestra, at the opera house tonight under the auspices of Progressive Music Club. Advance sale of tickets has been excellent. A few good seats remain. Do not miss hearing this greatest violinist ever heard in Indiana.

The performance begins at 8:15 when all are requested to be in their seats. After that hour admission will be given only between the numbers on the program. No one will be seated while a number is being rendered.

## County Option Election.

The temperance people of Lawrence county are organized and will at the next meeting of the commissioners ask for an election under the new county option law. The county is now entirely dry except one ward in Bedford, and the temperance workers expect to carry the county.

## Funeral.

The funeral of Miss Kate Honan was conducted from the St. Ambrose Catholic church this morning by Father C. J. Conrad. Burial at the Catholic cemetery.

Want Ads. in the REPUBLICAN Pay.

## MISDIRECTED

Letters and Post Cards Frequently Mailed.

A look at the misdirected letter case in the lobby at the postoffice will give anyone an idea of how careless people are in mailing letters and post cards. Some are mailed without any address, some with a wrong address, some with only part of an address, some with no postage or with an insufficient amount of postage. Every year hundreds of letters and post cards are sent to the dead letter office at Washington, D. C. because of some of the above mistakes and the total number in the United States runs into the millions. Of the total number that are posted in Seymour only about ten per cent are ever called for by the person who puts them in the office and the other ninth-tenths criticize the postal service for inefficiency. The careless person seldom looks over the list of letters and cards that are posted in the lobby of the postoffice.

At the present time more than half and sometimes two-thirds or more of the pieces held here are post cards. A large per cent of these are held for postage. Some people seem to forget the difference between the modern commercial post card and the official government postal card and consequently mail their cards without any postage whatever. Others merely forget and mail their card without any postage as they would sometimes mail a letter the same way. Many people put post cards in the office which the post office department has ruled are unmailable. Many put one cent on a post card and then put the card inside of an envelope, which is equivalent to no postage at all. Many write the name correctly and the street number omitting the name of the town or city, while others put the name of some large city with no street number evidently supposing that the post office employees will happen to know everybody that is sojourning in the city temporarily and just where they are stopping. Some put a street number in the address that does not exist, for example a letter may be addressed to 1534 North Ewing street, Seymour when the last house at the end of that street is 840. It is a very common thing for a person to write Bloomington Ind. when he means Bloomington, Ill. Seymour will frequently be written for Salem and vice versa as a glance at the lists of advertised letters will show. In the lists of advertised letters at Seymour will frequently be found the names of persons residing at Bloomington and other cities in this locality or perhaps in a Seymour of some other state.

Thousands of dollars are lost to their owners every year in the United States because of carelessness in addressing and mailing letters and post cards.

## M. W. A. District Meeting

The Modern Woodmen degree team of this city is arranging to go to North Vernon next Monday evening to attend a district meeting of the order. Some of the head camp officers are expected to be present besides State Deputy Voitz, State Lecturer Harley Jackson and other members of the state organization, District Deputy S. S. Fitch, of Columbus, and other prominent members of the order. The meeting is expected to be a big one and other Seymour Woodmen will doubtless attend.

On Friday evening there will be a big district meeting of the same order at Aurora and a proposition is being considered for asking the Uniform Foresters from Seymour to come there. A special train will be run out from Cincinnati and the meeting will be quite as large as the one at North Vernon. The reputation the Seymour degree team holds for putting on work and for their excellent drilling makes them a drawing card everywhere and an announcement that the Seymour degree team will take part in the initiation always insures a big crowd any place.

Preventics—those Candy Cold Cure Tablets—will safely and quickly check all colds and the grip. Try them once and see. 48-25c. Sold by A. J. Pellems.

Emil E. Rettig who formerly published a newspaper in Seymour has sold a half interest in his present paper the Platte County (Mo.) Argus, to Fred C. Wright of Georgia.

Santa Claus is here with his headquarters at the Bee Hive. d3d

Sprenger's barber shop is the best.

## GIVEN AWAY

THIS WEEK

\$3.00 in Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass

We will give free this week \$3.00 worth of any of our Jewelry, Silverware or Cut Glass as may be selected, to the person who this week writes for us the best four-line stanza of poetry, advertising our store and our Holiday Goods. We have the finest line we have ever carried and at prices that will please you. We know you will say so too when you look at them. The following are the conditions:

1. Each stanza must consist of four lines, advertising our line of holiday goods.
2. No person can submit more than one stanza. Each contribution will be numbered when submitted and a record of the numbers kept. The judges will award the prize by number only.
3. The best stanzas will be published each evening without the names of the authors.
4. On Saturday evening the stanza awarded the prize will be published and the name of the person awarded the prize.
5. All stanzas must be delivered, at our store, between now and 12 o'clock noon on Friday, December 4.
6. The award will be made by three disinterested judges; C. D. Billings, Dr. H. R. Luckey and E. A. Remy.

## STRATTON THE JEWELER

16 S. Chestnut Street, SEYMORE, INDIANA

## Real Estate Transfers.

Reported by O. S. Brooke, Abstracter and 5 per cent. loans.

Daniel P. Hinderliter and wife to Jno M. Hinderliter, et al, 11.80 A Carr Tp., \$1.

Andrew H. Harbaugh and wife to Rachel D. Mohr 51 A. Salt Creek Tp., \$250.

Wm. R. Charles and wife to Ida E. Pfennig 50 A. Salt Creek and Owen Tps., \$2900.

George B. Summa and wife to Geo. E. Peters 27 A. Driftwood Tp., \$1800. Rachel Ray and husband to Hattie J. Dart 5 A. Vernon Tp., \$370.

Mary A. Loyd to Elisha C. Bess and wife, Lot 18, blk. W, Seymour \$1400. Celestus H. Baker Adm. to Henry C. Baker 160 A. Owen Tp., \$1760.

Jas. Amos Hamon, et al, to Ulysses F. Lewis part lots 24 and 25, blk. 26 Seymour, Saltmarsh Add., \$1100.

Elisha C. Bess and wife to Jos. W. Banker, Lot 3, White, et al, Add., Crothersville \$400.

Archie R. Vogel and wife to Thos. J. Clark Lot 4, blk. D., Seymour, J. H. Peter's Add., \$1525.

Henry C. Baker and wife to Celestus H. Baker, 80 A. Owen Tp., \$900.

The Jno. C. Groub Co. to Blanch Steinkamp Lot 21, blk. 52, Seymour Shields Sub division, \$250.

Chas. Leininger and wife to Blanch Steinkamp, Lot 20, blk. 52, Seymour Shields Sub division, \$250.

W. H. Stevens and wife to E. E. Rankins, Lots 11 and 18 and pt. lot 12, Tampico, \$900.

Chas. M. Beldon and wife to Nancy D. Lett part of Lots 68 and 69, Crothersville Thompson and Riders' Add., \$850.

Chas. Blau and wife to Jno. M. Garrott 40 A. Vernon Tp., \$1300.

David Grider and wife to Edward C. Collman 40 A. Vernon Tp., \$2500.

## Birthday Surprise.

The members of the Protective Home Circle gave a pleasant surprise Monday evening for Mrs. Adam Hauersperger of 113 East High street, in honor of her twenty-fourth birthday. About thirty-five members of the order were present to enjoy the evening. Mrs. Hauersperger received a nice chocolate set and a number of other beautiful presents. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served after which the guests enjoyed themselves with games and other amusements till late in the evening.

"The help of the want ads." is all you need in a great many of the perplexing problems of daily life.

## Artist Recital

Majestic Theatre

## Tuesday Evening,

December 1st,

The Progressive Musicale Club,

of Seymour, Presents

## Ludwig Becker

Violinist,

And Concert-Meister of Theodore Thomas Orchestra, of Chicago, for their annual Artist Recital. Admission 50 cents.

Seats on sale at Miller's Book Store Monday, November 30th,

beginning at 9:30 a. m.

## Majestic Theatre

Thursday, Dec. 3rd

## The Merry Widow

## McCARTY

AND HER BEAUTY CHORUS

A Happy Combination of

Mirth, Music and Merriment

The All Fun Show you have all heard of. No waits between laughs. 5th Triumphant Season. Praised by the papers. Patronized by the public. Played at popular prices. Don't miss the best show of the season.

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## FOR SNAKE BITE.

How a Ranchman Treated a Wound  
When Far from a Settlement.

Bitten by a rattlesnake in the calf of the right leg in the Santa Ana mountains recently, John McCormick, a rancher of Grapeland, saved his life by making an incision with his pocketknife and inserting a piece of the reptile's flesh in the wound. He bandaged it tightly and walked seven hours before he reached his ranch, where he could receive medical treatment. Dr. Summer J. Quint was called from Los Angeles to attend McCormick. When he arrived he found that his patient was suffering from only a slight poisoning. He declares that McCormick saved his life by his own treatment.

McCormick was hunting through scrub oak when he felt a peculiar sting in his leg. He looked down and saw the snake dragging on the ground as he walked. Its fangs had become fastened in his leggings and it was unable to withdraw them.

With the butt of his gun McCormick knocked the snake off and then crushed its head with his heel. As quickly as possible he ran into the open and carried the snake with him. When he bared his leg he squeezed all the blood he could out of the two punctures which the fangs had made. Then he opened a gash, cutting through the two wounds and letting out the blood and poison. He cut a piece of flesh out of the snake's back and inserted it in the wound. McCormick used his handkerchief for bandages and then tied his leg again just above the knee to keep the poison from working through his system.

McCormick was miles from any settlement where he could secure medical attention, so he started back to Grapeland. His leg pulsated with pain and he soon became deathly sick. In his weakened condition he was compelled to rest on the road time and again. When he finally reached home he was almost exhausted and his leg was dreadfully swollen and almost black.

McCormick says that his treatment was famous among the Indians for snake bites and he has known of a number of instances where its application has saved lives.—Los Angeles Times.

## NO BAHIA ORANGES HERE.

Brazilian Fruit Not Exported Because of Lack of Facilities for Preserving.

Bahia, Brazil, the home of the navel orange, from which place the late William G. Saunders imported the first naval orange tree to the United States, raises large quantities of this luscious fruit, but does not export a single orange," said Richard G. White, formerly in the diplomatic service in Brazil, to a reporter for the Washington Post. "Nearly every family has an orange and a banana tree in the back yard, and some have a number of trees. These are merely for home consumption."

"Mr. Saunders when he began the re-production and distribution of the navel orange tree, the original of which, I believe, is still in the grounds of the department of agriculture, thought he could produce the same quality of orange, but I do not think he succeeded, although the American navel orange is a fine fruit. It would be impossible to produce in Bahia any great quantity of oranges for export because there are no facilities for keeping the fruit after it is picked."

## Truth About the Century Plant.

The century plant, so named because of the popular idea that it blooms but once in a hundred years, in one sense makes good its name, for it blooms only once, then dies.

In the genial climate of southern California it reaches maturity and blooms in fifteen or twenty years, while in colder climates the period may range from forty to fifty years. There are many species of the agave family, native to northern Mexico, where it is called the maguey. The plant furnishes "pulque," the national drink of Mexico.

At the time of blooming the plant throws up a single stock of rapid growth to the height of twelve to twenty feet, from which the tassel-like flowers sprout forth. This great flower stalk draws all the sap and vigor from the body of the plant, which soon withers and dies.

At the base of the thick green leaves are found little suckers, each with a root, which, when planted, at once begins to grow. The end and edges of the leaves are well armed with stiff spines, the prick of which is very painful.

This is nature's way of protecting the plant from the ravages of rabbits and other desert rodents.—Technical World Magazine.

## The Decline of "Piggin" English.

In the latest Shanghai trade report it is stated by Edgar Hobson, the commissioner linguistic proficiency of the Chinese, "Piggin" English is falling into disuse.

English, French and German are learned by the Chinese with comparative ease when properly taught, and with the introduction of western education into Chinese schools broken English is giving place to more correct speech. Well, this jargon has had a long run in the east. It is not at all like Chinese, and so unlike English that newcomers require to learn it. The difference between it and proper English was once unconsciously and wittily expressed by a Cantonese shopkeeper, who, finding himself as a loss to understand the correct English spoken by a new arrival, turned to his friend, an American, and said, "Moh bettah you fien talkie English, talk, my no sabbe Melican talk."—Dundee Advertiser.

## Raising Almonds in Texas.

Henderson county Cain Cox, five miles from Athens, has not only adhered to diversification in all its forms, raising fruit, tomatoes and the cereal and hay crops, as well as some cotton, but he has been investing some money in other experiments, some of which are about to turn out very profitably. One of his side experiments has been almonds, he having put in quite a number of the young trees about five years ago. The trees are now well grown and are bearing fine almonds, though not as large nor as fine as the imported variety. The trees bore a few almonds last year and many more this year, and by another year Mr. Cox thinks he will get a crop large enough to market.—Houston Post.

## Big Ploughing Machine.

The Malone brothers of Charleston use an engine to run eight large ploughs, taking the place of twenty-four miles and eight men. The engine burns oil and does not use any water. The machinery is cooled by oil. It is said that it can be run at least one-third cheaper with oil than with coal or wood, and requires the work of only two men to operate it, and will do twice the amount of work than can be performed by men, as there is no stopping for rest.—Kansas City Star.

## WOMEN'S COLUMN.

### Scatter Your Flowers as You Go.

There is no law by which a man, any more than a rose, can withhold and yet receive. He must give first, and give generously, broadly, magnanimously, if he would develop a magnificent character, if he would accumulate soul wealth. Give or starve; this is nature's fiat. Give of your sympathy, of your money, of your encouragement, of yourself, or starve, mentally, morally.

The man who refuses to give, to share what he has received, is as foolish as the farmer who was so wrought upon by the conviction of a coming season of drought and the probable destruction of crops, that he refused to plant his corn. He said that he would keep it in the crib, that he would not risk putting it into the ground, lest it might rot and he be left without provisions for the winter. The drought did not come, however, and the result was that he went hungry, while his neighbors who had planted generously reaped an abundant harvest.

A great philanthropist said that he had saved only what he had given away, that the rest of his fortune seemed lost. What we give away has a wonderful power of doubling and quadrupling itself on the return bound. It is the greatest investment in the world. It comes back in geometrical progression. Give, give!!! It is the only way to keep from drying up, from becoming like a sucked orange—juiceless, insipid.

Selfishness is self-destruction. The man who never helps anybody, who tightly shuts his purse when there is a request to give, who says that all he can do is to attend to his own affairs, who never gives a thought to his neighbor, who hugs all his resources to himself, who wants to get all and give nothing in return, is the man who shrivels and dries up like the rosebud, who becomes small and mean and contemptible.

We all know those poor dwarfed souls who never give, who close the petals of their helpfulness, withhold the fragrance of their love and sympathy, and in the end lose all they tried to hold for themselves. They are cold, lifeless, apathetic; all their sympathies have dried up; they can not enter into the joys and sorrows, the higher and nobler emotions of human life. Their souls have been frozen by selfishness and greed. They have become so narrow and stingy that they fear to give even a kind word or smile lest they may rob themselves of something. They have rendered themselves incapable of radiating sunshine or happiness, and by the working of an immutable law, they receive none.

A strong man, watching one who was delicate, and undeterred exercising in a gymnasium, said to him, "My dear man, how foolish you are to waste your energy on those parallel bars and dumbbells. You are weak, physically, and ought to save what strength you have for your day's work. You can not afford to squander your vitality that way."

"Oh, but, my good sir," replied the other, "you don't see the philosophy underlying the exercise. The only way I can increase my power is by first giving out what I have. I give my strength to this apparatus, but it returns what I give it with compound interest. My muscles grow by giving it out in what effort, in tension."

### The Value of Laughing.

In a hospital for the insane was a patient suffering from melancholia. He never laughed—he never even smiled. But all day long he sat or walked about with an unbroken expression of gloom. The physician in charge of the case thought at last to try the influence of laughter upon his patient.

To bring this about he had a big, hearty, jovial man come each day and stand by the patient's door and laugh a long, deep, side-shaking laugh—a laugh so joyous and healthful and infectious that every one around soon found themselves convulsed with laughter. Every one but this patient. He looked blankly at the laughing man, not even smiling, but with the same settled gloom upon his face, the same immovable countenance.

Day after day this went on—the laughing man and the solemn, gloomy, melancholic patient. Finally one day as he paced back and forth through his room he stopped, looked at the man outside, and suddenly burst out laughing. Then looking around him said, "Where am I?"

What is this place?"

The melancholia had melted away, the gloom had vanished, and the man was in his right mind again. Laughing had done it.

Lay away your gloom and your fears and your worries. Laugh when everything goes wrong. Just stop in the midst of your perplexities and irritations and annoyances,—just stop and sit down and have a good, hearty laugh. A laugh that will clear up your mind, invigorate your body, and you will be surprised to find that your worries and your cares are not so overwhelming after all. You will be ready to meet them with a buoyancy of spirit that will master them easily.

Practice laughing. Don't let your mouth get so immobile that it is a serious task even to smile. Keep in practice. A good laugh will do you more good than medicine, and save you many a doctor bill.

### To Embroider Lunch Napkins.

Nothing makes a more acceptable present for an engaged girl than a set of lunch napkins, a fine damask or Chinese linen, scalloped on the edge and worked in one corner with a monogram or an open design in eyelet embroidery.

If the damask is handsome the work can be kept quite simple; a shallow scallop and three small block initials across one corner, about two and a half inches up.

Instead of the three initials a monogram can be used set in a medallion of narrow satin stitched with a row of small dots on the outside. Sometimes the medallions are shield-shaped, worked in satin stitch.

On the linen a more elaborate effect is better. Keep the scallop simple, but in one corner have a monogram from which radiates an open eyelet design in eyelet work. The Madeira embroidery is particularly showy for napkins and good patterns are easily obtained at any art needlework store.

Do not make the mistake of having too deep a scallop. True, it wears better, but looks heavy and inartistic. If the edges are well padded with chain stitch and closely worked they wash well. Use a fine mercerized cotton, as it makes the work much smoother.

### Why Is It?

Why is it we like people whom we have not met, yet known in an indirect manner and have a very tender regard for—often a feeling of love and great consideration? Someone laughingly remarks that it is that very reason—hecause we do not know them. But what makes us care for them? It is that indefinable something that philosophers, scientists and the like call soul love. It is very genuine and when people meet in this manner and communicate by means of letter will become very real, though, perhaps, neither ever try to place each other in the flesh, but keep the mental picture always sweet and beautiful. I have realized this with my readers, for I feel like a big family was around me and I talked to them every day. I hear from a great many, for one woman will send me a recipe which she thinks the rest of you will like, and another tells me about her flowers, while countless many talk on paper about their children and many tell me they seem to know me. I have been discovered as one who is keenly interested in girl life and true I am, for I think the study of girl life in the social or working world is wonderfully interesting. And so in this way do other people meet and never know each other, yet that little wireless message goes flitting through space and a feeling of comfort comes to the recipient who feels that somewhere out in the world are persons whose natures are attuned unto his own and who understand. We can't always understand everyone, but there are times when natures meet and it is like placing the positive and negative poles of electricity together and

wedding dress: "Silk, satin, calico, rags." The wedding trip will be in a coach, wagon, boat, balloon, railway, automobile."

But there are dozens of other charms. Ghost-writing is very mysterious and exciting. Each guest receives an English walnut with the solemn assurance: Hold above the candle what is found within.

But do not search it lest it be a sin.

When the halves of each nut are parted, a carefully folded piece of blank paper is all that is found. But when the paper is held over the candle, behold! Words appear. The trick is very simple. Dip a new, clean pen in pure lemon juice and with this as ink write short rhymes on a number of pieces of paper. Allow the ink to become perfectly dry, when it will fade out. The charms can be placed in a box and each guest asked to draw what appears to be a blank slip of paper. After the paper has been puzzled over and commented upon, it is handed to some one in the secret, who reads the ghostwriting by means of a lighted candle. Everybody clusters round to watch the magical developing of the words on the blank paper as the "seeress" moves the message back and forth over the lighted candle. The heat brings out the writing. The verses and couplets may be taken from books. For example:

Tell me this and tell me truly,  
Will my sweetheart love me only.

Your true love shall love you true  
If your true love was meant for you,

Cooking Club Magazine.

### Where and How Do We Get Tired?

One would expect that fatigue would show itself first and chiefly in those muscles that have done the most work. This is not the case, according to A. M. Bloch, who has just been summing up the results of an investigation on the subject. Bloch's method was to send out questions to men of various trades and occupations, asking for their experience; and from the answers he concludes that the muscle in which fatigue first appears is one that remains contracted for some time, doing no actual work, rather than one which does work by alternate contraction and relaxation. Thus a baker, who stands bent over, kneading his dough, gets tired in his back, not in his arms; a shoemaker feels fatigue in his loins or abdomen; an oarsman tires in the calves of his legs, and so on. Bloch concludes that we should avoid permanent muscular contraction in working, and adopt systems of gymnastics that contract and relax as much as possible those groups of muscles that our occupation tends to keep in a state of tension.

### How to Keep the Gas Range Clean.

You can wonderfully prolong the life of your gas range by caring for it properly. Of course the neat housewife wants her range always to look like a gem. But there is much more than looks at stake. Its very life depends on it.

"Heat it," "wash it," "grease it," are the three maxims for the cleansing process. And this is the way to enforce them: Light all the burners and turn them low. Have a pan of warm water a soft woolen cloth, and a little pot of grease with a stick in it; lard dripping tallow, any of these will do, and do better than anything else. Wring the cloth out of warm water, add a bit of the grease about the size of a small pea—don't use enough to make your stove greasy anywhere, but just so much as the warm iron will absorb. Wipe off the side shelves and top racks, turn out one of the top flames, wipe off one burner, then another, until all have been cleaned. Do this every day. Most people expect to wipe off the top of the stove every day, but they are afraid to touch the burners; these need wiping just as much, but they need that tiny bit of grease most of all.

Before noting some of the figures of food it is pleasing to observe some of those relating to beverages. Now as to champagne, which is said to be an preventive cure and for that matter a preventive of seasickness, passengers last year paid the pangs out of only a few more than 51,000 bottles of champagne. This is seen at once when it is noted that the total expense for coal on the same line was but \$7,000,000, and of course none of the boilers is seasick and their consuming capacity is notoriously greater than any passenger, no matter how good an appetite he has.

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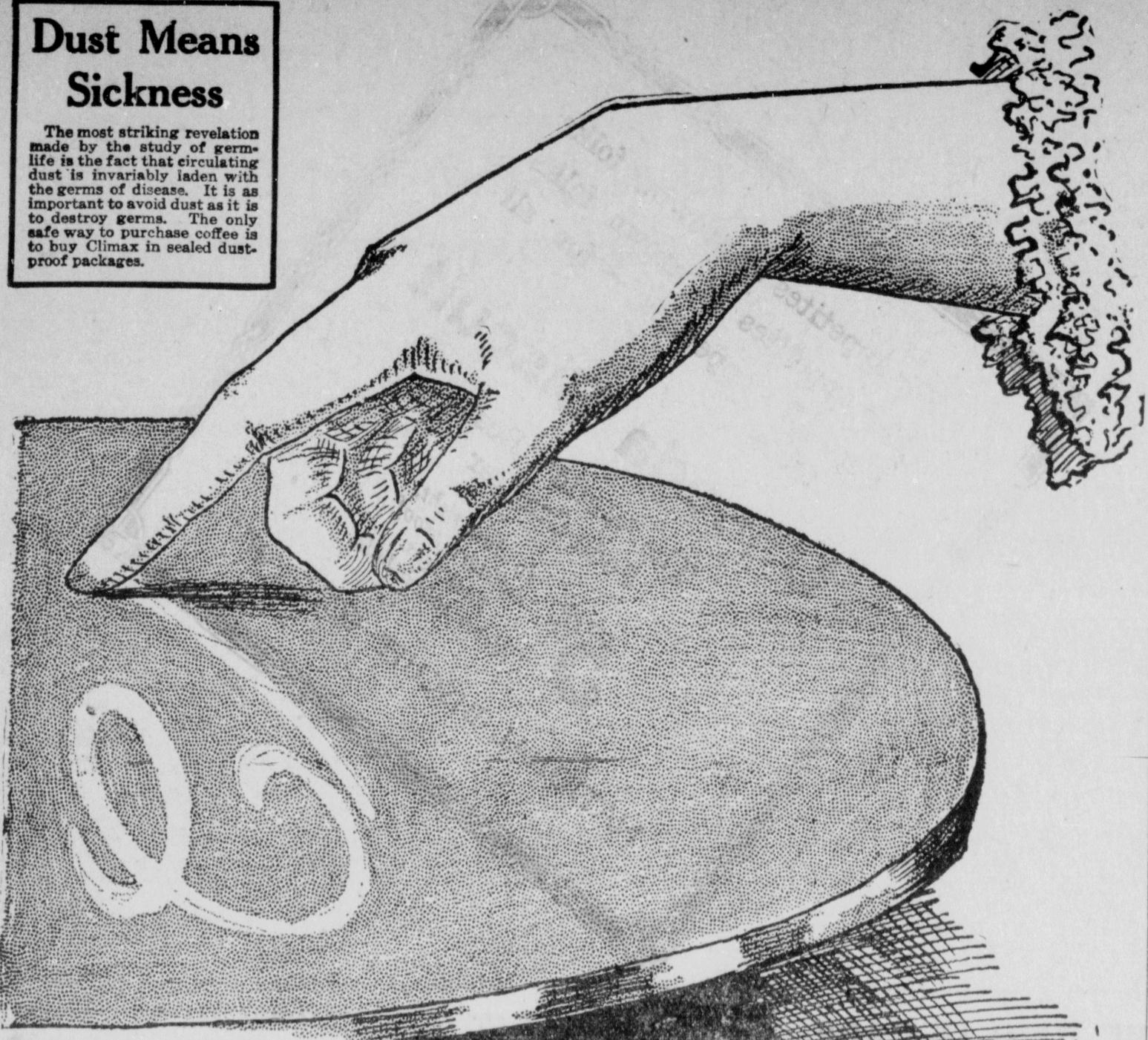
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## Dust Means Sickness

The most striking revelation made by the study of germ-life is the fact that circulating dust is invariably laden with the germs of disease. It is as important to avoid dust as it is to destroy germs. The only safe way to purchase coffee is to buy Climax in sealed dust-proof packages.



## Would That Make Good Coffee?

There is about a day's accumulation of dust upon your parlor table. How much more dust does bulk coffee come in contact with before you buy it?

Roasted coffee is stripped of the outer hull and inner skin, and the pores of the berry, thus left open, absorb all the dust and odors going. Dust and germs are not conducive to good health. Why not buy in the cleanly way, in sealed packages?

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#### Beware of Frequent Cold.

A succession of colds or a protracted cold is almost certain to end in chronic catarrh, from which few persons wholly recover. Give every cold the attention it deserves and you may avoid this disagreeable disease. How can you cure cold? Why not try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy? It is highly recommended. Mrs. M. White of Butler, Tenn., says: "Several years ago I was bothered with my throat and lungs. Someone told me of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy."

I began using it and relieved me at once. Now my throat and lungs are sound and well." For sale by C. W. Milhous.

#### LIFE SENTENCE FOR STOUT

Second Man to Be Convicted of Marshal Croy's Murder.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 30.—John Stout is the second of a quartet indicted for the murder of Columbus Croy, marshal, at Woodburn, on July 7, 1907, to be convicted and sentenced for life. The jury returned its verdict after having been out only forty-five minutes.

#### MUSCULAR PAINS CURED.

"During the summer of 1903 I was troubled with muscular pains in the instep of my foot," says Mr. S. Pedlar, of Toronto, Ont. "At times it was so painful I could hardly walk. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was recommended to me, so I tried it and was completely cured by one small bottle."

I have since recommended it to several of my friends, all of whom speak highly of it." For sale by C. W. Milhous.

#### Wagner to Sue South Bend.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 30.—John G. Wagner, the retired South Bend business man who was locked up at the police station for nearly two days, has announced that he has retained three Chicago attorneys to bring suit against the city for \$500,000 damages, alleging false imprisonment. Wagner was taken into custody on suspicion of having written threatening letters to several merchants.

#### For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum

The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

## GREAT WHITE PLAGUE SUBJECT OF ATTACK

### Best Methods of Fighting Tuberculosis on Display Today.

New York, Nov. 30.—The tuberculosis show of the international tuberculosis congress, recently held in Washington, was opened here today with public ceremonies, Governor Hughes and Mayor McClellan delivering addresses. Both officials dwelt on the great importance of the efforts being made to combat tuberculosis and predicted that the show would prove an important factor in the international war that is now being waged on the disease.

The purpose of the show is to give a demonstration of the methods in use in this and other countries to prevent and cure consumption. The exhibit is housed in the American Museum of Natural History and is open to the public from 10 a. m. to 10:30 p. m. and on Sunday afternoons. The exhibits will remain on view six weeks. It is expected that hundreds of thousands of persons will visit the exhibition.

While by far the larger number of the nearly 450 exhibitors are from the United States, there are many from South America, Europe and even Japan. Most of the states of the Union have separate exhibits; some, like New York and Pennsylvania, have extensive official exhibits, flanked by the exhibits of progressive anti-tuberculosis societies, sanitaria and hospitals.

F. M. Montgomery, former cashier of the Allegheny National bank, convicted of looting that institution of more than a million dollars, was denied a new trial and sentenced to serve fifteen years in prison.

The cleverest imitation of real coffee ever yet made is Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee. It is fine in flavor and is made in just one minute. No tedious 20 or 30 minutes boiling. Made from pure parched grain, malt, nuts, etc. Sample free at C. E. Abel.

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A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh. Sold by A. J. Peillens.

#### For that Dull Feeling after Eating

I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating. David Freeman, Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve the digestion. They also regulate the liver and bowels. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a free sample at C. W. Milhous's drug store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

Bedford, Ind., Nov. 30.—Emmett Kirkman, sixteen years old, is dead as a result of an explosion of powder. Clinton Kirkman, Charles Perry and Robert Massey are severely burned. The boys found powder in a toolhouse at the Hoosier quarry and carried a part of it away. Intending to explode a small portion of it, Emmett Kirkman touched a match to some on the ground. A large quantity spilled out of his cap and the explosion followed.

Don't drug the stomach, or stimulate the heart and kidneys. That is wrong. It is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Vitalize these weak inside controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and see how quickly good health will come to you again. Test it and see. Sold by A. J. Peillens.

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#### BREWERS TAKE A HAND

#### They Will Demand of Legislature That It Deliver the Goods.

Indianapolis, Nov. 30.—A meeting of the Indiana brewers will be held here this week to consider their plans for the legislature. Albert Lieber, one of the leading members of the so-called brewery political combine, declared this afternoon that all the brewers will ask of the Democrats is that they stand by their platform. The Democratic platform contained a declaration in favor of ward and township local option. The brewers want a township and ward law enacted that will repeal the county unit law passed at Governor Hanly's special session.

Efforts made recently to learn how the Republicans feel toward the proposition looking to the repeal of the county local option law showed that the gulf between the "Liberal" element and a great majority of the Republican voters is very wide. The investigation indicated very plainly that most of the politicians on the Republican side feel that the county local option law brought about the defeat of the party in the last campaign and that the party will lose again in 1916 if it does not change front on the temperance question. On the other hand a communication published in a local paper over the signature of J. H. Claypool, a well-known Indianapolis attorney, declaring that the Republican party must repeal the county local option law and cut temperance out of politics if it hopes to regain its prestige, seems to have stirred up a hornet's nest among Republicans throughout the entire state. A number of them have replied vigorously to Claypool, declaring that the Republican party cannot afford to be a trimmer, even if it was defeated because of its advocacy of county local option. The outlook is that the Republicans will have trouble whichever course it pursues. If it stands for the repeal of the law the temperance Republicans who are in the majority will be offended and they may take it into their hands to rebuke the party two years hence as the "liberal" element did this time. If the law is not wiped out it is believed that it will remain an issue and will involve the Republicans in the same kind of a fight that it had this year. The Democrats expect to get around the local option problem safely by advocating a township and ward unit law as declared for in their platform and by Thomas R. Marshall, their candidate for governor throughout the entire campaign.

To this end it is understood that Senator Frank M. Kistler of Logansport will introduce a bill soon after the legislature is convened to repeal the county local option law by substituting the ward and township unit as declared for by the Democrats in their state platform. Senator Kistler said here today that the bill will pass, as he has enough pledges from Republicans to put it through. While he did not mention the names of the Republicans who will vote for the measure in the senate, it is understood that Senators Wood of Lafayette, Gonnerman of Posey county and Pelzer of Bonville are among the number. Senator-elect Walter Legge of Evansville, who died unexpectedly Saturday afternoon, was another Republican member counted in favor of the repeal of the law. Governor Hanly will issue a call soon for a special election to name Legge's successor, and it is likely that whoever is elected will take a stand against the present law.

The friends of Ralph Moss, state senator from Clay and Vigo, and recently elected congressman from the Fifth district, are touting him for governor four years from now. Mr. Moss has announced that he is "in the hands of his friends," and admits that "a number of prominent citizens" are urging him to make the race and he "has the matter under consideration." In fact, Mr. Moss is displaying all the signals carried by a man who has made up his mind to be a candidate and is waiting for the plain people to have an uprising and demand that he sacrifice himself on the political altar of his country. Moss made a surprising race for congress and in the senate has always been one of the Democratic leaders.

Sen. Robert E. Proctor of Elkhart, who has the distinction of being the youngest man in the state senate being only twenty-six years of age, brought the word here today that the Thirteenth and the Tenth districts will support Shively to the end of the race. "There is not a discordant note in northern Indiana," said Proctor, "on the candidacy of Mr. Shively." Congressman Henry A. Barnhart of the Thirteenth district has given out an interview in which he says: "Already the senators and representatives from Mr. Shively's district have organized to make a systematic campaign for him. The Tenth district is for him and the Eleventh and Twelfth district members of the legislature feel very kindly toward him."

Had Undertaken Big Job.

Beaumont, Tex., Nov. 30.—After watching for some hours a would-be burglar boring his way through a 20 inch concrete flooring into the vault of the First National bank of this city, the police surprised and arrested William Bretschneider, proprietor of a "penny arcade," in the midst of his drilling. Bretschneider attempted to escape, but was captured after receiving a bullet in his forearm.

The national conservation commission will meet in Washington tomorrow to begin the formulation of its report to the president on the state of the country's natural resources.

#### NEW FLYING MACHINE

#### Inventor of Telephone Now Seeking to Conquer the Air.

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 30.—Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the famous inventor of the telephone, has completed his experiments at Bras d'Or lake with his flying machine, the aerodrome, as he names it, and is ready to make a public trial of the machine this week. He is confident that it will surpass the recent records made by the Wrights and others.

Professor Bell proposes to launch his aerodrome by means of a platform placed on two powerful racing motor boats. The boats will run up into the outer Bras d'Or lake, and when a speed of 18 knots is attained the aerodrome will be released. It will then, according to Professor Bell, soar into the air and fly away at the will of the man at the helm. The inventor declares the flight will be made without the slightest risk to the life or limb of the operator.

## FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES IN SESSION

### Great Gathering of Protestants In Philadelphia This Week.

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—This city will be the scene this week of one of the largest religious gatherings ever held in America. It will be the meeting of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, representing almost all of the Protestant denominations. Of the large churches of the country the only one not represented in the council is the Protestant Episcopalian. Twenty-eight leading Protestant churches will send 366 delegates to the convention.

Governor Hughes of New York, as one of the thirty-two representatives of the Baptist church in the council will participate in the discussion of topics bearing upon church federation and will address one of the mass meetings. His theme will be "Civic Righteousness."

Among the other distinguished lay delegates to the council will be Governor Ansel of South Carolina, Governor Hoch of Kansas and Judge Grosscup of Chicago. To this end it is understood that Senator Frank M. Kistler of Logansport will introduce a bill soon after the legislature is convened to repeal the county local option law by substituting the ward and township unit as declared for by the Democrats in their state platform. Senator Kistler said here today that the bill will pass, as he has enough pledges from Republicans to put it through. While he did not mention the names of the Republicans who will vote for the measure in the senate, it is understood that Senators Wood of Lafayette, Gonnerman of Posey county and Pelzer of Bonville are among the number. Senator-elect Walter Legge of Evansville, who died unexpectedly Saturday afternoon, was another Republican member counted in favor of the repeal of the law. Governor Hanly will issue a call soon for a special election to name Legge's successor, and it is likely that whoever is elected will take a stand against the present law.

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#### BROUGHTON BRANDENBURG.

campaign. The letter, which purported to be the views of former President Cleveland on the issues of the campaign, attacked William Jennings Bryan and his views.

The paper which published the interview declared that it was purchased from Brandenburg after assurances from the executors of Mr. Cleveland's estate that it was genuine. These assurances were afterward withdrawn by Mr. Hastings, one of the Cleveland executors, and it was then declared that the interview was a forgery.

Brandenburg was arrested in Dayton, Ohio. He waived extradition and was brought to New York. The charge against him is similar to one of obtaining money under false pretenses.

#### Davis Trial Began Today.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 30.—The trial of Charles Edward Davis for the murder of Frederick T. Rustin ten weeks ago, was called in Judge Sitton's branch of the district court this morning. Mrs. Abbie Rice will again be the state's star witness. Although it is admitted Davis has been thrice committed to the police for temporary insanity, his counsel has declared that no attempt will be made to take advantage of an insanity plea when the case comes up.

The county attorney expects to produce considerable new testimony. Mrs. Rice has been held in jail since the shooting, being unable to give a bond of \$1,000. Davis, the accused, has been at liberty under \$25,000 bond furnished by his brother, who is vice president of the First National bank.

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#### South Bound

#### No. 1 No. 3

Lv Terre Haute 6:30 a. m. 12:30 p. m.  
Lv Jasonville 7:27 a. m. 1:27 p. m.  
Lv Linton 7:52 a. m. 1:52 p. m.

Lv Beehunter 8:07 a. m. 2:07 p. m.

Lv Elnora 8:21 a. m. 2:21 p. m.

Lv Odon 8:31 a. m. 2:31 p. m.

Lv Bedford 9:45 a. m. 3:45 p. m.

Lv Seymour 11:00 a. m. 5:00 p. m.

No. 28 mixed leaves Westport at 4:40 p. m., arrives at Seymour 6:25 p. m.

For time tables and further information, apply to local agent, or

H. P. RADLEY, G. P. & T. A. Grand Opera House, Terre Haute.

## Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help. That few of these women have been disappointed in their expectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent. of all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-million women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal, and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first of specialists in the treatment of women's diseases.

Every sick woman may consult Dr. Pierce by letter, absolutely without charge. All replies are mailed, sealed in perfectly plain envelopes, without any printing or advertising whatever, upon them. Write without fear as without fee, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Prest., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Sick Women Well.



O see the boy—  
He suffers from a touch  
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Pie and such.

TOO MUCH always creates unpleasantness. Right quantity—right quality—right service at the right time—means satisfaction and content always. That's the secret of our success. Our line of

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, '08.

THE Greensburg News published by J. E. Caskey has enlarged itself to an eight-column folio. It is the official paper of Greensburg, and enjoys a good business patronage.

MANY Democrats are evidently afraid that they will be unable to prevent Bryan's fourth nomination. The Republicans will take such good care of public affairs that the Democrats will eventually enjoy their Bryan kismet.

THE recent decline in the price of silver has reduced the bullion value of a silver dollar to less than 38 cents. Thanks to sound politics, the American dollar is worth 100 cents anywhere.

IF YOU buy your Christmas presents this week, even to the extent of ordering your candy, you will not only save yourself a lot of worry and anxiety at the last minute, but you do something that will help saleswomen and delivery boys from the exhaustion of the final hours before the great holiday.

### Ladies Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the German M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. B. F. Schneck 519 S. Chestnut street Thursday afternoon Dec. 3.

The men are cordially invited to come for supper.

### Born.

To Mr. and Mrs. Les Ross and wife of Beech Grove, Nov. 27, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Murphy, of Beech Grove, Nov. 30, a son.

Peter P. Fettig was here from Shellyville today to attend the funeral of Miss Kate Honan and went west this afternoon on the two o'clock train.



## BEAUTY.

Beauty means a clear, smooth skin free from all blemishes, moth-patches and freckles.

Beauty means a healthy skin with fine, clean pores and a pure, radiant complexion.

Beauty means a wealth of long, silky, luxuriant, glossy hair of youthful and perfect color.

By the use of E. Burnham's preparations any woman can make her skin perfectly smooth.

If she will exactly follow directions she can make her complexion clear and radiant.

E. Burnham's excellent beauty preparations are exhibited and sold by the dealer named below.

Ask them for free sample bottles of Hair Restorer, Hair Tonic or Hygienic Skin Food.

Every woman will be given a copy of the little Gift Book entitled, "How to Be Beautiful."

If you cannot call there, send 10c for mailing to E. Burnham, 70 State Street, Chicago, Ill.

MRS. E. M. YOUNG.

### A FORMAL EXCHANGE

#### America and Japan Now Have Each Other's Word on It.

Washington, Dec. 1.—Secretary of State Elihu Root, on behalf of the United States, and Kogoro Takahira, ambassador on behalf of Japan, late yesterday afternoon, exchanged diplomatic notes defining the policies of the two governments in the far East. The actual ceremony of exchange was very brief, Secretary Root handing the ambassador a note which bore his signature, and the ambassador giving to Mr. Root a paper defining Japan's policy and bearing his signature. After an informal exchange of felicitations, the ambassador and his secretary left the state department, the former with a smile on his face indicating his great satisfaction over the conclusion of the exchanges.

The full purport of the notes already has been set out in these dispatches. They will be made public simultaneously in the United States and Japan tonight with a view to their publication in both countries tomorrow.

It was pointed out as a singular coincidence that the exchange of notes with Japan regarding China should occur on the same day as that on which Tang Shao Yi has come to thank the American government for the remission of the Boxer indemnity.

#### Death From Lockjaw.

Laporte, Ind., Dec. 1.—"Gus" Olsen, thirty-seven years old, a worker at the piano factory, is dead of lockjaw, the victim of a trivial accident. Ten days ago he stumbled over a low wire fence. His head struck a pile of brush and he received a slight wound on the head. No attention was given to it until a couple of days later, when it became inflamed and tetanus developed.

#### No. 1032.

#### REPORT of The Condition OF THE

#### FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

At Seymour, in the State of Indiana at the close of business, Nov. 27, 1908.

#### RESOURCES.

RESOURCES.	DOLLARS
Loans and discounts.....	\$377,330.30
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	1,856.18
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	100,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits.....	50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....	5,434.00
Bonds, securities, etc.....	44,972.52
Bankinghouse furniture and fixtures.....	18,680.05
Other real estate owned.....	20,475.06
Due from approved reserve agents.....	95,883.11
Checks and other cash items.....	4,319.87
Notes of other National Banks.....	2,500.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	111.73
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie.....	33,458.30
Legal-tender notes.....	7,681.00—41,139.30
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent. of circulation).....	5,000.00
Total.....	767,702.12

#### LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund.....	35,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	8,107.10
National Bank notes outstanding.....	99,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	472,458.32
Demand certificates of deposit.....	7,636.70
Certified Checks.....	500.00
United States deposits.....	45,000.00
Total.....	767,702.12

STATE OF INDIANA, COUNTY OF JACKSON, ss  
I. J. H. Andrews, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. H. ANDREWS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of December, 1908.

JNO. M. LEWIS  
Notary Public.

My commission expires Nov. 30, 1910.

CORRECT—Attest:

C. H. CORDES, B. F. PRICE, B. F. SCHNECK Directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Ebner left on the noon train today to attend a meeting of the Ice Manufacturers Exchange at Kansas City. Mr. Ebner is a member of the auditing committee of that organization. From Kansas City he goes to Argentine and Newton, Kan. to examine some icing stations. They will be on their trip for several days. Mr. Ebner is a successful ice manufacturer and has been engaged in the business for several years. He is always looking out for the latest and best in everything.

Miss Edna Swope and her schoolmate, Miss Jin Yun Wong, returned to Knickerbocker Hall, Indianapolis last evening. Miss Wong's home is in Shanghai, China. Her grandmother was the first Chinese girl educated in America. Her father was a Yale graduate. Two of her brothers are now at Purdue.

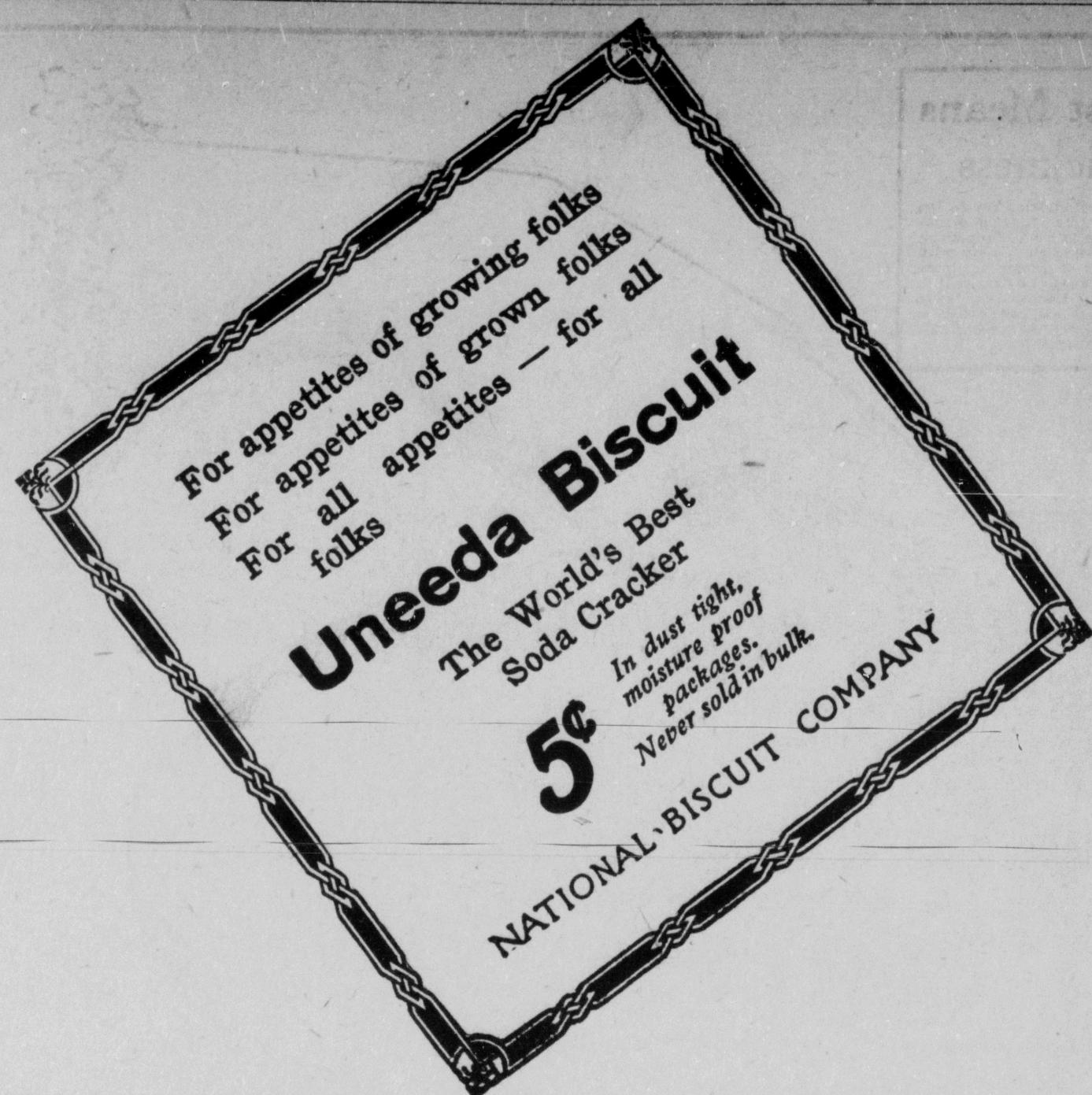
W. H. Smith, of Columbus, who has been making a Thanksgiving visit with his half brother, W. E. Pately and family, in the county line neighborhood, returned home this morning. He and Mr. Pately have been hunting during his visit with good success.

Mrs. N. H. Tabb and her aunt, who arrived here Saturday, returned to Gallipolis, O. this morning. Mrs. Tabb will return here about the first of the year when she and her husband will go to housekeeping in this city.

John Van de Walle was hunting in the county line neighborhood this morning. He was in the same locality Monday and came in with fourteen quails. Hunting is reported to be much better since the rain.

LETTIE: Gold Medal Flour makes the whitest bread.

SILVIA: Want Ads. get results. Try one.



## HE PAID IT BACK WITH INTEREST

### Laporte County Bounty Fund

Unexpectedly Enriched.

### ETERNAL WELFARE AT STAKE

#### Forty Years Ago, According to Written Statement of Conscience-Stricken

Kansan, Contractor Vail Wrongfully Obtained \$3.50 Bounty on Fox Scalps

—The Act Now Weighing Heavily on His Soul, He Believing His Eternal Welfare Is at Stake, Has Returned the Money With Interest to Date.

Laporte, Ind., Dec. 1.—A draft for \$11.90, representing "conscience money" has been received by George Link, clerk of the Laporte county circuit court, from C. Vail, a contractor at Colby, Kan., with the following letter:

"About forty years ago, when a mere lad, I obtained a bounty wrongfully from Laporte county on seven fox scalps, and I now want to make restitution, as I believe my eternal welfare is at stake. If necessary, I am ready to appear in person before you. I received \$3.50, which at 6 per cent interest for forty years, amounts to \$11.90, for which I enclose a draft." The amount was credited to the bounty fund.

We do "Printing That Please."

## Christmas Buyers

Wanted at

## W. H. Reynolds'

21 and 23 South Chestnut Street, Seymour, Ind.

Our line of goods for holiday presents is now ready for your inspection, and includes Ladies' and Gents' Fancy Umbrellas, Purses, Handbags, Fancy Collars, Ruchings, Ladies' Gloves, Silk Scarfs, Fancy Handkerchiefs, Brooches, Belt Buckles, Belt Pins, Toilet Sets, Manicure Sets, Cushion Tops, Pillow Cords, Stamped Doilies, Table Linen, Napkins, Towels, Rugs and other useful articles. Come early while the lines are practically unbroken. 21-23 S. Chestnut Street.

## Don't Sit In The Cold

Use the PERFECTION OIL HEATER and have solid comfort in that corner that is hard to heat. A touch of a match and a steady flow of heat is the result.

See them at our store.

## W. A. Carter & Son

17 EAST SECOND STREET.

## Royal Silk Plush Underwear

Warmth Without Weight  
Four Colors

**\$3.00 the Suit.**

## Munsing's Union Suits

FIVE GRADES

**\$1.00 to \$3.00 the Suit.**

Eighteen Other Styles Underwear  
**50c to \$2.00 the Garment**

## The Hub

### For Sale

\$2000.00 this beautiful home, 8 rooms, 4 closets, hall, gas in every room, summer kitchen, cellar, well cistern, lot 50x120, fruit and sheds and henry.

\$1500.00 this residence, lot 57x157 good location, 4 rooms and summer kitchen, sheds, McCann well, good corner lot.

\$2750.00 for this elegant residence, lot 50x150, bath room, concrete walks, furnace, cellar, sewer, barn, 6 rooms.

\$1200.00 for this fine new home, fine shade, concrete walks, well, 5 rooms, front and rear porch. Also cheaper and higher priced city property.

**GEO. SCHAEFER,**  
Real Estate and  
General Insurance

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A Woman of Beauty and Elegance is the one who doesn't allow defective teeth to mar her beauty or her appearance of refinement. A woman who would be attractive and possess a charm of elegance has her teeth regularly attended by a first class dentist, who can remedy all defects by crown or bridge work, and everything pertaining to scientific surgical dentistry at

**Dr. B. S. Shinness.**

### DRUGS AND MEDICINES

Prescriptions  
A Specialty

**GEORGE F. MEYER'S DRUG STORE**

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**ARCHITECT**

725 N. Ewing St., Seymour, Ind.

**T. M. JACKSON,  
Jeweler & Optician**  
104 W. SECOND ST.

### WANT ADVERTISING

Let the fact that there are good servants, and that they answer want ads., encourage you.

FOR SALE—Female bird dog. Dr. B. S. Shinness. n28dtf

FOR SALE—Small mule. Inquire 111 N. Chestnut St. dld

FOR SALE—Good, reliable horse, cheap. Inquire here. d5d&w

FOR SALE—Horse, phaeton, spring-wagon and set of harness. Robert W. Irwin. d7d

WANTED—Girl for general house-work. Good wages. No washing or ironing. Inquire here. tf

HOUSE FOR RENT—Two story 5 room house on east Sixth street. New paper and painting throughout, summer kitchen, fine cellar, large barn, chicken house and all other out buildings in first class order. See W. L. Johnson at the Hub. n27tf

ENVELOPES—Another case of our popular Hoosier XXX Envelopes for business use just received. They are the best envelope on the market for the money. 1000, \$2.00; 2000, \$3.50; 3000, \$5.00; 5000, \$7.50. Reorders are numerous for these envelopes. That indicates their merit. THE DAILY REPUBLICAN. d3d

YOU ARE AMBITIOUS AND POSSESS AT LEAST AN AVERAGE AMOUNT OF TACT AND PERSEVERANCE. THEREFORE, WE WANT YOU AND WILL PAY YOU \$75 A MONTH FOR TAKING ONLY FOUR ORDERS A DAY. YOU CAN EARN A BIG INCOME. WE FURNISH ALL SUPPLIES FREE. WRITE TODAY TO MANAGER, P. O. Box 1150, New York City. d1d

### Weather Indications.

Fair tonight and Wednesday. Colder tonight.

### Seymour Temperatures.

The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures as shown by the government thermometers at the Seymour volunteer weather observation station and reported by J. Robert Blair, observer. The figures are for twenty-four hours ending at noon:

MAX MIN  
December 1, 1908, 66 31

Miss Nita Wood, of La Junta, Colo., who has been visiting relatives at Covington, Ky., is the guest of Isaac Apgar and Mrs. Elizabeth Ahlbrand and family. She will go from here to Indianapolis for a short visit before returning home. This is Miss Wood's first visit to Seymour. She is a granddaughter of George Apgar who was formerly an engineer on the old O. & M. road.

Pains of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Everything for Christmas at the Bee Hive. d3d

### DON'T FORGET

That the Cleaning and Pressing Shop of H. E. WEITHOFF & KERNAN has been moved to the Blish Bldg., corner of St. Louis Ave. and Chestnut St., and is now being conducted under the new management of WEITHOFF & KERNAN. And remember that we are better prepared to do your work than ever before at the same reasonable prices. We do all kinds of dry and chemical cleaning, scouring, dyeing, remodeling, etc. of ladies' and gents' garments.

### PERSONAL.

Dal Tyler was here from Indianapolis Monday.

J. Alf Cox was here from Crothersville this morning.

A. E. McMillan, of Medora, was here this morning.

J. B. McIntire, of Mitchell, was in Seymour over night.

B. F. Prosser was here from Indianapolis this afternoon.

J. O. White was a westbound passenger this morning.

W. B. Mitchell, of Bedford, was here Monday evening.

William H. Mobley, of Hartsville, was here this afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Brooke was here from Brownstown this morning.

Joel H. Matlock was a passenger to Brownstown this morning.

Ovid Nicholson, of Salem, was in Seymour Monday evening.

Dr. Neal Matlock, of Medora, was in the city again this morning.

W. N. Drybread of Edinburg was in the city Monday evening.

B. E. Long, Jr., of Brownstown, was in Seymour Monday evening.

Clyde Robertson, of near Honeytown, was in the city this morning.

Rev. Harley Jackson went to Brownstown this morning on No. 7.

W. P. Pately, of the county line neighborhood, was in the city this morning.

J. B. Keith, the South Walnut street grocer, is confined to his bed with pleurisy.

Mr. Holton, the electric light man, was in the city this morning and went to Brownstown.

Charles M. Ingram, of West Second street, will leave tonight for New York on a business trip.

C. E. Henderson, of Columbus, was here this morning on his way to West Baden for a few days.

Miss Celia Nayocker has just returned from a week's visit with relatives at Indianapolis.

Miss Maggie Colburn went to Medora this morning to visit her uncle, David Colburn, and family.

Mr. Cain, the special pension examiner, made a business trip to Washington at noon today.

James Clemens, undertaker at Brownstown, was in the city a short time this morning on business.

Tom Plunket, roadmaster on the Pennsylvania line was here from Columbus a short time this morning.

Miss Mary Mack, of South Walnut street, has returned from Milan where she spent Sunday with relatives.

Attorney Oren O. Swails went to Brownstown this morning on No. 7 to look after business in the circuit court.

Oliver Bennet, of Indianapolis, has returned home after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Norval Mitchell and family.

Dr. Yount, a veterinarian of Loo-goo-tee, was in the city this morning en route home from a trip to Indianapolis.

Mrs. Belle Cooley, of Brownstown, returned home this morning after a visit here with her sister, Mrs. Robert Hall.

Hugh Brown, of the Blish Milling Company, is transacting business in Chicago and making a short visit with relatives.

Judge O. H. Montgomery and E. A. Remy left on an early car this morning for a hunting expedition with some friends.

Mrs. T. T. Newkirk and daughter have returned to their home at Sparksville after a visit with her niece, Mrs. George Thicksten.

Miss Susie Steele, of Indianapolis avenue, returned home this morning from a few days' visit with relatives and friends at Madison.

Mrs. J. M. Lawson and son, of Sparksville, have returned home after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Jane Baumham, of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morris returned to their home at North Vernon this morning after being here to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hopple and little child left Monday for Chicago to visit his brother. They will also visit at other places while away and will be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. Anna Love, of Hanover, who had been visiting relatives at Mitchell stopped off here Monday afternoon and was the guest of Miss Grace Love Monday night, returning home this morning on No. 4.

Mrs. Edna Moore, of Brownstown, formerly Miss Edna Sewell, went to Columbus Sunday, where she was to be operated on this morning by Dr. A. J. Bunker. Her mother, Mrs. Elmira Sewell, went to Columbus this morning to be present at the time of the operation.

Price Brooke, of Brownstown, was in this city Monday evening on his return to Indianapolis, where he is a student in Butler College, after being at home to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brooke and family.

# Seymour Dry Goods Co.



Here we have the fashion elect for fall and winter. Coats and Suits of the most approved design, garments of every new and worthy material, plain tailored models of natty build, fancy trimmed styles rather dressmakerish. Coats the severe long, loose model of semi-fitting slim hip style, and the best of all the famous YANKEE PRINTZESS and Wooltex makes.

Tailored Skirts and Shirt Waists. Come and see, buy what pleases you.



# CLAYPOOL & FRY

SUCCESSORS TO L. F. MILLER & CO.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS

Prevailing Current Prices for Grain and Livestock.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—\$1.03; No. 2 red, \$1.05. Corn—No. 2, 61½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 49½c. Hay—Clover, \$10.00@11.00; timothy, \$12.50@13.50; mixed, \$11.00@11.50. Cattle—\$3.50@7.00. Hogs—\$4.00@6.00. Sheep—\$2.50@4.00. Lambs—\$3.00@5.50. Receipts—5,000 hogs; 850 cattle; 50 sheep.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.07½. Corn—No. 2, 65c. Oats—No. 2, 52c. Cattle—\$2.25@5.75. Hogs—\$3.35@5.90. Sheep—\$1.00@3.50. Lambs—\$3.00@5.50.

At Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.06. Corn—No. 3, 61½c. Oats—No. 2, 49¾c. Cattle—Steers, \$4.60@8.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.85. Hogs—\$5.30@6.10. Sheep—\$4.00@4.50. Lambs—\$4.75@6.60.

Livestock at New York.

Cattle—\$2.50@6.85. Hogs—\$5.00@6.10. Sheep—\$2.25@4.00. Lambs—\$4.50@7.25.

At East Buffalo.

Under the closest restrictions, the East Buffalo stockyards, which have been closed because of the foot and mouth disease among cattle, have resumed business.

Wheat at Toledo.

May, \$1.10%; July, \$1.04½; cash, \$1.06%.

REPUBLICAN Want Ads. Pay.

### Shocking Fate of Two Boys.

Walkerton, Ind., Dec. 1.—Verne

Cripe and Walter Evans of this place,

aged fifteen and thirteen years, were

found buried in a sand bank. The boys

had left home to spend the day in their

cave in the sand bank. The heavy

rains caused the roof of the cave to

fall in. The boys had been dead three

hours when found. They were of

prominent families, who had been

searching for them for hours.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contains Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will

do is ten fold to the good you can

possibly derive from them. Hall's

Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J.

Cheney & Co. Toledo, O., contains no

mercury, and is taken internally

acting directly upon the blood and

and mucous surfaces of the system.

In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be

sure you get the genuine. It is taken

internally and made in Toledo, Ohio,

by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials

free. Sold by all druggists. Price 75c

per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills

for constipation.

# SEYMORE DAILY REPUBLICAN

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## BITS OF SCIENCE.

The first attempt to steer a balloon was made in Paris in 1784.

On July 6 the earth is further from the sun than at any other time in the year.

There are over 3000 different languages or dialects in use by the 72 races of the northwest.—Outing.

wheat and reached David Fife in the spring. Nevertheless David Fife sowed it in the spring. Only three wheat heads survived till the fall, but those three wheat heads were entirely free of the rust that had ruined his neighbor's crops, and really represented a new variety of wheat, a fall wheat turned into a spring wheat. David Fife treasured the three heads and planted them in the spring. Such was the beginning of Fife wheat in America. It is thought it must have come originally from Russia, for crossed with Russian Ladaoga by Dr. Saunders of Ottawa it has produced a wheat splendidly adapted for the cold climate and long summer sunlight of the northwest.—Outing.

### MAN 6000 YEARS AGO.

Egypt and Nubia Inhabited by the Same Race of Small People.

At a recent meeting of scientists in Dublin Prof. G. Elliott Smith, the Egyptologist, said that the earliest known human remains found in the Nile valley when compared with those of later times demonstrated the fact that at a very remote period Egypt and Nubia were inhabited by the same race, which had existed in Egypt with little or no change in physical characteristics throughout the intervening 6000 years until the present day, says the Chicago News. They had been, and still were, a small people, the average height of the men being about 5 feet 3 inches at every period of their history.

Their hair was very dark brown or black, usually wavy, but not "woolly" or in any sense negroid; their heads were long and narrow, usually ovoid or pentagonal or "coffin shaped," as the result of a frequent presence of a protuberant occiput. On the whole they shared those characteristics which distinguished the majority of the peoples fringing the Mediterranean.

### FOODS OF OTHER NATIONS.

Hollander Likes Decayed Shark, but Cares Not for Bread and Butter.

The Hollander eats decayed sharks, but turns with disgust from bread and butter.

The Chinese are fond of stewed dog, but consider beef unhealthful.

The Turk dems dried grasshoppers a delicacy, but an oyster fills him with abhorrence.

The English eat periwinkles, a kind of sea snail, but will have none of the French escargot—a land snail fattened on vine leaves and strawberries, says the Los Angeles Times.

The West Indian native adores a supper of baked snake and palm worms fried in their own fat, but the very thought of stewed rabbit makes him shudder.

The African bushman eats caterpillars, but scorns limburger cheese.

Savages eat all eggs, barrings none. They eat lizards' eggs, alligators' eggs, turtles' eggs, ants' eggs, snakes' eggs. But savages consider crab meat unwholesome.

### St. Mark's Campanile.

The rebuilding of the famous Campanile of Venice has made rapid progress during the last twelve months, and has now attained a height of 150 feet.

By the end of 1900 the main portion of the tower will be finished, and the marble loggia which will surround the column, will be begun. This time ample precautions have been taken to insure the strength and stability of the new Campanile. The old pilaster was found to be in an excellent state of preservation.

A gilded statue of the Virgin in terra cotta, which was a special object of veneration, and which was reduced to fragments in the falling of the tower, has been cleverly put together again by experts, and will occupy relatively its former position. It is stated that when the tower is completed it will be impossible to detect any difference between it and the old one. The very bells will ring with precisely the same pitch and tonality, as by a fortunate coincidence the maestro Periso, a short time before the collapse, had noted their intonation.

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The largest static electric machine ever built is owned by a New York physician. Twenty 40-inch glass discs revolve against twenty others to produce sparks 30 inches long by  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch in diameter.

The mammoth which a Russian government expedition recently found encased in Siberian ice and removed to St. Petersburg is the finest and most complete specimen ever recovered, even the trunk being intact. Only two teeth are missing.

The addition of a small portion of nitric acid to melted glue will prevent it from gelatinizing.

Brazil derived a revenue of \$1,218,384 last year from the manufacture of 202,040 boxes of matches.

Experts say Pennsylvania's anthracite coal will last 100 years more, her bituminous four times as long.

Experiments are under way in Boston with nickel-in-the-slot turnstiles in elevated railroad and subway stations. The idea is to save the expense of ticket sellers.

An aeroplane on the principles of those which have proved successful in very recent times was invented in England in 1848, but failed for lack of a suitable motor.

To cure its office boys of loafing a firm at Beloit, Wis., has equipped the push cart they use with devices for registering the distance covered in trips and the speed made.

What it believed to be the largest specimen of petrification in the world is a tree 50 feet long, with branch stumps still intact, spanning a 40-foot canyon in Arizona.

A telephone system will be completed in the near future in the French African colonies which will permit of communication with the most distant posts in the interior of the Dark continent.

By sending up a thermometer on a kite to a height of 16,300 feet, weather bureau officials near Washington, D. C., registered a temperature of 20, while at the surface of the earth it was 75.

A prediction of Hudson Maxim, the inventor, is that the future will see the air filled with flying machines driven by power obtained from wireless electrical currents, leading from center to center of population.

When a 28-foot python in a Chicago amusement park became chilled while hatching forty eggs the lives of the mother and her young were saved by the use of electric heating pads and an electric radiator.

By a vote of 248 to 217 the members of the Royal Geographical Society of England favored the admission of women to membership recently.

### New Zealand's Strange Island.

White Island derives its name from the clouds of white steam in which it appears to be continually enveloped. Its area is only six hundred acres and its height about eight hundred feet above the sea level.

In form and color it is like a resting camel, while its interior with its gray, weather-beaten, almost perpendicular cliffs, recalls the Coliseum at Rome. Overhanging the southern landing place stands a column of rock closely resembling a sentinel, which has been dedicated to the memory of Capt. Cook. The water of the island is of a pale green hue, and anything dipped into it becomes of a red brick color. The fumes of sulphur are always plainly perceptible.

On a fine moonlight night a wonderful sight is afforded to anyone who will sit in an open boat in one of the lakes of the island. Covering an area of fifty acres is an immense caldron hissing and snorting and sending forth volumes of poisonous steam while all chances of egress appear to be denied by the steep, silent and gloomy cliffs.—British Australian.

### Such Is Fame!

A woman who recently visited Scotland expected to find the proverbial shepherd quoting Virgil and the laborer who knew Burns by heart. She was disillusioned in Edinburgh. Accosting a policeman she inquired the whereabouts of Carlyle's house.

"Which Carlyle?" he asked.

"Thomas Carlyle," said the woman.

"What did he do?" queried the guardian of the peace.

"He was a writer, but he is dead," faltered she.

"Well, madam," the big Scot informed her, "if the man is dead more than five years there is little chance of finding out anything about him in a big city like this."

### From Just Three Heads of Wheat.

Nearly a century ago David Fife, a Scotchman of Otonabee, Ont., sent to a friend in Glasgow for a small bag of seed wheat to try in a cleared patch of the backwoods. The friend obtained some seed from a vessel just in from Dantzig. Unfortunately it was a fall

### DO IT NOW.

Why, friend, defer till the morrow  
That which may be done today?  
With soul inspired and with ardor fired,  
Wherefore, I ask delay?  
For fruitless pieces and excuses,  
For present promise and vow,  
You will have small need, if the voice you  
heed.  
That tells you to do it now.

It is well to have high ideals,  
And well to be able to plan,  
And ways to suggest which seem the best  
For the good of our fellow-man;  
But vain are our noblest impulses,  
And fancy is far from fact,  
While courage we lack and ignobly hang  
back.

When the time has come to act.

And our prayers, like our hopes, may fall  
us.

For we pray oft, I fear, unaware  
That God commands us to use our hands,  
And will our voice, in prayer.  
In art and letters, the greatest  
And grandest dreams of men,  
Have died, I ween, ere they touched the  
screen.

Or found their way to the pen.  
—Henry Reed Conant in Los Angeles  
News.

### VICTORY.

Throughout the wild clatter of the storm Dr. West had not slept. Since early evening the wind, rising in violence, had swayed the frail building where he lived and pealed it with angry gusts of rain. His room shook as though the earth trembled. One by one a pile of books fell from a table to the floor. The windows rattled with the rain and vibrated with the sharp reports of thunder; yet, above the din, the old physician heard his name called and sprang up, alert, preparing to face the gale.

The unfastened door flew open as a flash of lightning briefly illuminated the room and the figure standing on the threshold. Naked to the waist, hatless, his gray hair matted by the rain, he breathed heavily. Water dripped from his trousers and made little pools about his feet.

"Capt. Wilson, isn't it?"  
"Yes. Hurry, Doc. I'm—I'm afraid she's dyin'."

"Your wife?"  
"No—no, not my wife," Wilson replied, his voice softened, yet carrying above the din. "It's a little girl, Doc—a little girl!" He paused until a peal of thunder deeper than the rest seemed to madden him. "They were fools!" he shouted irreverently; "fools, I tell ye! Out in the gulf in a toy that was never meant outside a locked harbor."

"But suppose the child was rescued," the doctor insisted dreamily. "Suppose she had found a home with a childless couple who loved her beyond anything on earth, and suppose there had been a lonely old fellow to watch over her through the years, as he would have protected a child of his own."

"That would have been a very good solution," the young man replied; "but don't you think this speculation is rather ridiculous when I am so certain?"

"By the way," the doctor exclaimed, reaching for his hat, "you must excuse me. I have an important call to make at once, but I must see you again this evening, say at 8 o'clock."

"All right," Burns answered. "I'll meet you here. I'm not leaving until tomorrow afternoon."

They shook hands and the doctor hurried away. For the first time in his life he failed to recognize the friends who passed, and they looked after him, wondering at his preoccupied air, and the strange, youthful spring of his step as he turned into the Point road.

When he reached Wilson's cottage the blinds were drawn, the place was mysteriously quiet and looked deserted. He knocked several times before the door was opened very cautiously by the captain.

Wilson sprang upon the edge of his bed; his haggard face fell into his hands. "Why do you come to take her away?" he demanded. "She's happy here."

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"I know. She says he ought to give her up, but it would break her heart, too, an' we can't—we can't, I tell ye."

"Yes, but you know that this child, when she grows older, may discover your deception? Then she will hate you. Can you afford it, Wilson? You who was still alive. Somehow, we got to the house an' the wife. She's got her now, an' I came here. If you've ever had a child of your own, Doc, an' lost it; if you've—"

"Come! let us be quick," the doctor interrupted, drawing on his coat; and together they hurried down the narrow stairs that led from the rooms over Stoneport's only drug store, to the board sidewalk along the flooded street.

"Hurry!" Wilson shouted whenever a gust of wind took the doctor's breath away and slowed their progress. Then, during a lull he muttered: "Nobody saw me fetch her in. Nobody saw me."

He repeated the phrase again and again. It seemed to possess his tired mind, and he shouted it tauntingly:

"Nobody saw me save her!" he shouted almost frantically. "Hurry, Doc! Nobody saw me, I tell ye—not one soul!"

The garden about Capt. Wilson's cottage was in a disorder beyond repair. His tiny grove of fig trees lay uprooted, broken, stripped of leaves. Rose vines had been torn from the gallery; his grape arbor was demolished—all a riotous tangle; but they hastened up the shell walk, unnoticed the havoc in the half-light.

"In there," Wilson indicated the door with a trembling hand when they reached the hall.

Dr. West entered. Wilson's wife was kneeling by the bed. She raised her face from the covering and glanced beseechingly at the physician, then turned her gaze upon the inert child.

"I've done all I could," she said; then added, her voice broken with sobs: "She's so—so like our baby—the same age—3 years when she—" Her tear-brimmed eyes widened, a spasm of grief crossed her features as the ghost of her sorrow returned hauntingly out of the dead years.

With his fingers on the fluttering pulse, the old physician compressed the narrow chest and filled the little lungs again and again with his own breath. From his medicine case he mixed a mild stimulant and poured it drop by drop between the child's pale lips.

Wilson had thrown a coat over his naked shoulders. He paced the length of the room awkwardly, then out into the hall and back again, staggering when he turned at the door.

"Will she live?" he asked hoarsely, his hand resting heavily on the doctor's shoulder.

"I hope so. We have done all we could."

While they both watched a tinge of color slowly swept across the little face.

"She will live!" Wilson cried gladly, and then added quickly in a different tone:

"Nobody knows I saved her—nobody but you, and you won't tell she's here, who you, Doc?"

The doctor arose. "You can't do that, Wilson," he replied, in surprise. "You wouldn't do that, I'm sure."

The other turned angrily. He spoke

very low, and his voice was tense with passion.

"She's ours, I tell ye," he said, "and if you speak they'll come an' take her away. I saved her. We can keep her here without bein' seen for a month or two, then fit up a tale about her bein' adopted from the city, an' nobody'll ever know."

He glanced excitedly at the unconscious child, then advanced threateningly, his hands clenched, his chest heaving. "She's ours!" he cried, "an' you can't take her away. We've been friends for fifteen years, Doc, but if you tell, so help me, I'll kill ye."

"All right, my friend," Dr. West replied quietly, soothingly. "I will do as you say, until you change your mind. You can trust me. Sleep now, and when you have rested we will find a way—we will find a way."

Wilson turned and knelt beside his wife. His body fell forward across the bed, and he lay there exhausted.

Two days later the train brought in a solitary passenger, a young man with a band of black felt around his hat, who asked directions of the agent, and hurried up the street. He climbed the narrow steps to Dr. West's office and waited his turn in the ante-room.

"My name is Burns," he announced in a matter-of-fact way, after the doctor's patients had gone. "I wired you yesterday."

"You are a relative?"

"Yes, I am his brother. They left St. Louis three weeks ago for a trip down the river and a cruise in the gulf—a foolhardy undertaking in a small boat. I knew from the descriptions and pictures here"—touching a bundle of newspapers under his arm—"and I came at once. There is no doubt."

Dr. West hesitated, embarrassed. "They were all, then," he asked finally, "your brother, his wife and the engineer?"

"No, there was a child, too, who perished with the rest, although the papers do not mention her."

"But suppose the child was rescued," the doctor insisted dreamily. "Suppose she had found a home with a childless couple who loved her beyond anything on earth, and suppose there had been a lonely old fellow to watch over her through the years, as he would have protected a child of his own."

"That would have been a very good solution," the young man replied; "but don't you think this speculation is rather ridiculous when I am so certain?"

"By the way," the doctor exclaimed, reaching for his hat, "you must excuse me. I have an important call to make at once, but I must see you again this evening, say at 8 o'clock."

"All right," Burns answered. "I'll meet you here. I'm not leaving until tomorrow afternoon."

They shook hands and the doctor hurried away. For the first time in his life he failed to recognize the friends who passed, and they looked after him, wondering at his preoccupied air, and the strange, youthful spring of his step as he turned into the Point road.

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# GOLDEN RULE POLICEMEN PAY

EXPERIMENT TRIED IN CLEVELAND  
PROVES BIG SUCCESS FROM  
THE START.

## CHIEF TELLS OF SCHEME.

Decrease of 65 Per Cent. in Arrests  
Under Plan Based on Com-  
mon Sense.

## FIGURES SUBSTANTIATE THEORY

After more than eight months' trial of the new Golden Rule policy of making arrests in Cleveland, Chief of Police Kohler has pronounced it unqualifiedly a success, and accordingly in the last month has given the policemen still greater power of discretion, says the New York Tribune. The number of arrests in Cleveland in eight months of this year has shown decrease of more than 65 per cent over the same period last year, while, at the same time, no greater number of serious crimes than usual have been reported, despite the large number of first offenders allowed to go who, under the old regime, would have been arrested. However, Chief Kohler says that there are still too many arrests, and he is urging that further care be exercised in keeping the number down. Other cities are preparing to follow the same course.

### Use Own Judgment.

The Golden Rule policy, which Chief Kohler put into effect last January, provided that policemen should use judgment and common sense in dealing with offenses which are merely a violation of city ordinances and punishable by a small fine. They were told to take into consideration the intent to violate a law or an ordinance, and also the question of maliceousness on the part of the offender. They were instructed to warn a drunken man and send him home, rather than drag him to jail on his first offense, and that two men fighting, if for the first time, should be separated reasoned with, and not arrested. Old offenders, those intentionally violating the law or those committing felonies should be as severely dealt with as ever. A record is kept of the cases of all persons released or ever warned.

The object of the new plan was to dispose of trivial misdemeanors without arrest and prevent the humiliation and disgrace of persons who through thoughtlessness, passion or temper or in a spirit of frolic or mischievousness violated the law. Likewise, it is intended to prevent the humiliation and disgrace of near relatives of such offenders. It was thought, too, that it would lessen the work of the police department and the attaches of the police courts.

### Comparison of Figures.

How well the plan has succeeded in reducing the number of arrests is shown in the following table, which covers the period from the time it was put into effect to September 1:

ARRESTS IN 1907.	ARRESTS IN 1908.
January ..... 2,158	January ..... 911
February ..... 2,257	February ..... 829
March ..... 2,711	March ..... 939
April ..... 2,434	April ..... 907
May ..... 2,731	May ..... 888
June ..... 2,503	June ..... 882
July ..... 2,900	July ..... 1,010
August ..... 2,898	August ..... 1,010

Of the arrests made in the months of June, July and August this year more than 40 per cent. were made on warrants obtained by persons not members of the police department on information furnished the police prosecutors. Of those in the month of August, 183, or 62 per cent. (not considering cases continued), were allowed to go free by the police judges; in July, 76 per cent., and June, 43 per cent. Chief Kohler has now instructed the police not to request people to get warrants for petty offenses. Instead of advising parties involved in small differences to get out warrants, the police are expected to make diligent inquiry into them and try to adjust them without recourse to the courts.

### System a Success.

The assertion was made at the first that the Golden Rule policy placed a dangerous discretionary power in the hands of the police. This has not proved true. In his bulletin to the police on July 1 Chief Kohler said:

"The members of this department have accomplished results even beyond my expectations in this common sense policy, which must be gratifying to you as well as myself, and I am sure it is to the general community. With your long and varied experience in police matters, I know that you are competent to judge. The last six months have shown that your judgment is good, and you have accomplished the results expected by me in our first instructions."

The police themselves are much interested in and are in hearty accord with the new plan. Some of them say that they tried to exercise judgment in making arrests for intoxication under the old regime, but did so on their own responsibility, while now they are supported by official endorsement. Now no person is arrested for intoxication on his first offense unless it be necessary for his protection or for the protection of another, or unless he is disturbing the peace and quiet of the city.

### Chief Tells of Scheme.

At the convention of the International Association of Chiefs of Police in Detroit this summer 140 police officials listened to Chief Kohler's address on his new plan. In his address he said:

"I believe in this policy. I believe that if it is properly and generally carried into effect it will put the American policeman in the position he should occupy. He will learn that the people he has to deal with are human beings, not machines; likely to make mistakes and failures, but not therefore lost souls. And I believe that the patrolman should be the friend and parole officer of these laggards. I believe that the best policeman is he who manages all offenders against the law with the least show of authority and with the greatest sense of human justice."

Harrisburg, Pa., has already adopted the Golden Rule plan. Lt. Col. Woodring, a good sized town near Cleveland, O., the plan was put into effect last spring, with the result that, instead of an average of seventy to eighty-five arrests a month, in the first three weeks under the new procedure only three arrests were made.

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### Japs Take to Butter and Eggs.

The Japanese are beginning to like milk and butter. Twenty-five years ago not more than 1 or 2 per cent. of the people in Japan would touch butter, even

if eating at a European restaurant. Now 40 or 50 per cent. eat it with a relish. Dairy farms have increased notably, but it is chiefly to milk that they look for their profit. Whereas thirty or forty years ago milk was abhorred and the average Japanese would not touch it, many households now consume one or two bottles a day. This is partly because people have come to like it and partly because doctors have recommended it as a wholesome beverage.

## CENTENARY OF RESORT

Marienbad, Famous World Over, Now One Hundred Years Old—King's Visit.

Marienbad is celebrating this year its centenary. Just 100 years ago the Abbot Pfruner of Tepl, the great monastery of these Bohemian uplands and the owner of all these forests and moorlands, was induced by the monk Reitenberger, his secretary, and by Dr. Nehr, his doctor, to erect a small shed over the spring of the Kreuzbrunnen, with a house capable of holding some ten beds and a few baths.

Up to then the spring had been flowing free in the moor, and it was only by springing from stone to stone that it could be reached. The attention of Dr. Nehr had been called to its wonderful properties. He saw the possibilities of the monastery, and thus laid the fortunes of the place, and thus laid the foundations of the Virgin on a tree above the spring, the abbot had the hamlet christened Marienbad, the bath of the Virgin Mary.

Now the place is famous the world over, writes the correspondent of The Queen, and some 30,000 persons seek the cure here every year, the majority in the hope that their too solid flesh may melt away. Above all, Marienbad is proud of the fact that King Edward has been coming here for eight years.

The King takes the cure very seriously. He walks down from his hotel, the Wenzel, to the Kreuzbrunnen every morning at 8 o'clock, and alternately strolls about or sits under the trees while sipping his two glasses.

In previous years the crowd was very troublesome, because of its consuming eagerness to observe his every movement. But this year the spectacle seemed to pall after a few days and he moved about as others did. He was always accompanied by either Maj.-Gen Sir Stanley Clarke or by Col. Ponsonby, or both.

After his morning glasses the King, if the weather is fine, takes a short walk in the park and drives back to his hotel, where he breakfasts on the balcony of his sitting room. The rest of the morning is devoted to state affairs; then comes luncheon, a simple meal of fish, white meat or chicken and one of those delicious compotes, without which any meal seems incomplete here, and a glass of either beer or white wine.

Nearly every afternoon this year the King spent at the golf club, motoring up about half-past 3, for the links are high up on the moorland, where the air is splendid and the turf like velvet. He watched the various competitions, for two of which he gave the prizes himself, or else enjoyed a game of croquet on the lawn made expressly for him. Then he would ask two or three friends to take coffee with him, either in front of the pavilion or in the summer house by the croquet lawn, and later walk down home. Caesar, his whitehaired terrier, always accompanied his master.

The King's dinner, or what most would call a poor supper, is also a light meal, consisting of chicken or game and a compote, with one or two glasses of light Austrian wine. King Edward went several times to the pretty little theater here, and often invited some friend to a seat in his box. Early to bed and early to rise is the rule at Marienbad, and no one observes it more carefully than the King himself.

### COMING OF AGE IN AFRICA.

Initiating the Young as Full Fledged Members of a Tribe.

All the peoples in the world have been given to marking the coming of age of their young folk with some kind of ceremonial. In central Africa this is quite a serious business. A few of the customs in use among certain tribes are horrible; but in the main they show a kind of good sense.

Among the Yao people, the principal figure in all the initiations or coming of age mysteries is a man called the rattle of the tails. He makes play with a bunch of wild cat tails, wild cats being creatures which play a leading part in the witch doctor's medicines. This official communicates all kinds of knowledge to the young ideas of the tribe during the couple of months devoted to their initiation ceremonies. He lectures on the customs of the tribe and on morals. He teaches unselfishness, for instance, and among these tribes the man who refuses to share his food with another is jeered at as "uninitiated."

During these ceremonies the boys receive new names, and if you want to insult them past all forgiveness you have merely to address them by their childhood's names after they have passed through the initiation ceremonies.

The unyago, or period of initiation with girls, lasts only one month, and includes all kinds of practical teaching as to agriculture and household work, the grinding of corn and the like. Many of the ceremonies in use are purely symbolic; as when the girls are made to support a house roof to indicate that they are to be the pillars of their future homes. But there is also much practical teaching, including a full and blood curdling recital of the penalties which attach to wifely infidelity, and particular instructions as to how best they may "feed the brute," and make pots and pans.—London Standard.

### Ouch!

Col. Charles Coey, the president of the American Federation of Aero clubs, said the other day in Chicago of an aeronautical pilot:

"He is really too absent-minded to pilot a balloon. He used, you know, to be a railroad conductor, but he had to give up the work; he was too absent-minded for it, too."

"On his train one day, as he passed through the cars taking up the tickets, a joking passenger, instead of proffering his pasteboard, solemnly proffered his forefinger."

"Never noticing anything out of the way, the conductor punched a little chunk out of the side of the finger and passed on."—Washington Star.

### Wants to Know How.

The city of Springfield, Mass., through its board of trade, offers a prize of \$500 for a plan of advertising the city which will bring the quickest and most satisfactory results. The plan must all be in the hands of the secretary of the Springfield board of trade by November 15.

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### Modern Inventions.

Mr. Newlywed—What on earth is the matter with the parlor chandelier?

Mrs. Newlywed—I read in the woman's column of The Daily Dozer about cooking by electricity, and I hung the chops on the electric lights an hour ago, but they are not even warm yet.—Town Topics.

The Freshman's Compliment.

A certain college president was entering a freshman at dinner, when the conversation turned upon football. To the student's surprise, the president dis-

## FUNNYGRAPHS.



He—Dearest, will you marry me?  
She—No; I could never marry a man who has expressed such narrow-minded views regarding divorce as you have.

### The Return to the Flat.

The moths are in the parlor rugs  
In spite of camphor balls,  
And moth traps, and furniture  
Are cobweb draped the walls.  
The mice have gnawed the portieres  
Of goblin tapestry.

But we have spent the heated term  
At Hencoop-by-the-Sea.

The grand piano's wires, I find,  
Are just as rusty as rust;  
The piano's brain is worn  
Till it's gray with weeks of dust.  
I left the bathroom gas turned on,  
The bill will bankrupt me.

But we have spent the summer months  
At Hencoop-by-the-Sea.

The cat is dead; we locked her in  
The day we were away;  
And burglar's broken the kitchen door  
With none to say them nay.  
They took our winter clothes and set  
Of silver flaggare.

We left behind us when we went  
To Hencoop-by-the-Sea.

We did not have a joyous time—  
The truth must be confessed;

The folks we met were richer far  
Than we, and better dressed.

They snubbed us, too, and left us out  
Of tennis, talk, and tea.  
But we have spent the season, though,  
At Hencoop-by-the-Sea.

—Minna Irving in New York Times.

### An Outrage.

"Club women in Boston," said the head

"Dear, dear," commented the near-sighted man unable to read the context. "I never would have thought it possible. Why, the very worst we do in Philadelphia is to neglect to give 'em a seat."—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Regardless.

Things is goin' right ahead,  
Sunshine an' rain  
Keeps a happenin' same as if  
Dur wasn't no campaign.  
De sweetnes of de peach  
An' de sof'nes of de peach  
Comes right along as usual  
"Thout waitin' for no speech!

De bird's in de marshes;  
Gunner in de boat  
Don' stop to ax befo' he shoot  
Bout how he givneter vote.  
De oysters is discovered  
Down in de cool retreats  
Not carlin' any how nor when  
De legislature meets!

—Washington Star.

### Modern.

Her Ladyship—Have you given Fido  
his soup?

Buttons—Yes, 'um.

Her Ladyship—And his omelette?

Buttons—Yes, 'um.

Her Ladyship—And his cutlet?

Buttons—Yes, 'um.

Her Ladyship—And his jelly?

Buttons—Yes, 'um.

Her Ladyship—Then you may have

some bread and cheese, and go bed.—  
The Sketch.

### A Week's Experience.

The year had gloomily begun  
For Willie Weeks, a poor man's

Sun.

He was beset with bill and dun,  
And he had very little

Mon.

"This cash," said he, "won't pay my dues,  
I've nothing here but ones and twos."

Tues.

A bright thought struck him, and he said,  
"The rich Miss Goldrocks I will

Wed.

But when he paid his court to her.  
She hisped, but firmly said, "No," Thur."

"Alas," said he, "then I must die!"  
His soul went where they say souls

Fri.

They found his gloves and coat and hat,  
And the coroner then upon them Sat.

Sat.

—Success Magazine.

# BABY BOY HAD ITCHING HUMOR

Which Broke Out in Different Places—Nothing Would Help Him—Mother Almost in Despair—Skin Quickly Healed Without a Scar and Trouble Has Never Returned

## SINCE USING CUTICURA MOTHER GIVES IT PRAISE

"Several months ago, my little boy, now two and a half years old, began to break out with itchy sores. I began to doctor him, and as soon as I got them healed up in one place they would break out in another. I was almost in despair. I could not get anything that would help him. One evening I read a testimonial from a lady who had cured her little boy with Cuticura. I began to use the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and after using them three times, the sores commenced to heal. He is now well, and not a scar is left on his body. They have never returned nor left him with bad blood, as one would think. Cuticura Remedies are the best I have ever tried, and they are surely great. I shall always have them in the house, handy, and shall highly recommend them to any one who is suffering likewise. I cannot give them too much praise. Mrs. William Geeding, 102 Washington St., Attica, Ind., July 22, 1907."

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# HAITIEN CAPITAL PANIC STRICKEN

Residents of Port au Prince Feel Disaster In Air.

## INSURGENT ARMY MOVING ON

With the Advance Guard of General Simon's Victorious Rebel Army Within Twenty-Five Miles of Its Goal, President Alexis Maintains an Air of Confidence and Declares He Will Fight to the Last to Defend His Administration, Which Has Been Often Threatened Before.

Port au Prince, Dec. 1.—Every hour brings the revolutionary army nearer to Port au Prince, and a feeling of impending disaster has taken possession of the people. The advance guard of General Antoine Simon's forces is now not more than twenty-five miles from this city, and up to the present the insurgents have swept all before them.

The government losses at Anse-a-Veau on Friday and the rout of the loyal troops have caused consternation among the officials of the government, with possibly the sole exception of President Nord Alexis. Every effort to have him take himself out of the country has proved a failure and the aged president, who has faced many revolutions before, announces his determination to fight to the last.

It may be that President Alexis feels the confidence he expresses in his ability to check the advancing army of the revolution, but the residents of Port au Prince certainly are not of the same mind; many of them are panic-stricken and the great majority of the natives have closed and shuttered their stores and business houses, and have put bars across the doors and windows of their residences. There is an uneasy feeling among the foreigners notwithstanding the presence in the harbor of the warships of the United States and France, from which forces unquestionably will be landed if the insurgents succeed in passing the gates of the city, or at the first sign of disorder and pillage. Flags of different nations are flying from the homes of many foreign residents, the markets are deserted, and the country people, upon whom the city depends for its sustenance, have fled precipitately and refuse to return.

The situation has become so grave that an official proclamation has been issued convoking the chambers in extraordinary session so that measures may be taken to preserve the government, or at least to effect a compromise with the revolutionary leaders. There is great fear today that the disaffected body of Haitians in this city might take up arms for the overthrow of the government, which, however, being forewarned, has taken precautions against this happening. President Alexis, suspecting the loyalty of General Cameau, the chief of police, has sent him out on a special mission, while General Nau, who also is one of the chief police officials, has been replaced by General Hyacinthe, for the same reason. The streets are continually patrolled by bodies of troops who maintain order, but this is a simple matter, as many of the streets are deserted, the people having betaken themselves to their barricaded houses. So far as can be seen all of the officers and soldiers here remain loyal and are facing the coming of the revolutionists calmly. Three divisions of troops are entrenched at the convergence of three roads several miles outside the city, and it is not expected that General Simon's forces will reach the crossroads until tomorrow.

The vanguard of the revolutionists occupied Grand Goave, a town of 10,000 inhabitants, about thirty miles west of Port au Prince, without firing a shot, and it is expected that this force will be sent ahead to clear the way if any obstruction is offered for the army which the former commander of the department of the south has gathered around him.

General Simon has been engaged in previous movements of the same kind. In 1902 he declared himself in favor of General Antenor Firmin for the presidency, and the latter pursued similar tactics to those now being followed by General Simon. In a proclamation issued today, General Simon stated that he desired to rescue the country from the tyrannical rule of Nord Alexis.

### Alexis Full of Fight.

Washington, Dec. 1.—The Haitian minister has received a message from President Nord Alexis saying that despite the defeat of the government troops at Anse-a-Veau, the government is still very strong. The president cabled that four divisions of troops are marching against the insurgents and that he is full of hope.

## CHIEF BIGGEY DROWNED



W. J. BIGGEY.

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—Chief of Police W. J. Biggey of San Francisco was drowned off Alcatraz Island this morning.

## STRIKE ON THE PENNSY SEEMS TO BE IN SIGHT

### Locomotive Engineers Taking a Vote on the Question.

Washington, Dec. 1.—A serious controversy has arisen between the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Pennsylvania railroad affecting particularly the lines west of Pittsburg. The details of the differences between the membership of the order and the railway company have been presented to Chairman Knapp of the Interstate commerce commission and Prof. Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, who constitute the general board of mediation under the Erdman act.

The engineers desire official recognition of their board of adjustment in the settlement of any grievances that may arise between the members of the order and the railroad company. The men complain that when they take up grievances with the division superintendents they get no satisfaction and as a rule their complaints come to naught.

So serious has the difficulty become that a strike vote is being taken by the engineers of the lines west of Pittsburg. With a view to averting the impending trouble, the members of the general board of adjustment of the order, headed by Grand Chief Warren S. Stone and Assistant Grand Chief Fred A. Burgess, came to Washington to lay their case before the board of mediation. The committee's conference with Chairman Knapp and Commissioner Neill lasted about two hours. Following this conference, General Manager G. L. Peck of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg presented to the board of mediation the railway side of the controversy. Neither the members of the board of mediation nor the engineers were at liberty to make the details of the conference public at this time. It is probable that the conferences will last for two or three days.

### "Wets" Carry the County.

Clinton, O., Dec. 1.—The local option election in Mercer county resulted in a victory for the "wets" by a majority of 227.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) has just passed his seventy-third birthday.

Baron Von Call Zu Kulmbach and Rosenburg has been appointed Austrian ambassador to Japan.

Governor Magoon left Cuba today for Tampa, Fla., and will arrive in Washington Thursday.

The University of Helsingfors has accepted the American proposals for an exchange of professors.

At the tenth annual meeting of the Anti-Imperialist League Moorefield Storey was elected president.

Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio is an avowed candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator Foraker.

President-elect Taft will deliver the oration at University of Pennsylvania at the university day celebration to be held on Washington's birthday.

A one-cent evening paper at Washington makes the announcement that its Sunday edition will hereafter appear in the afternoon instead of in the morning.

Bullish advices from Argentine offset a liberal increase in the visible supply of wheat in the United States, causing the Chicago wheat market to close steady Monday.

Baron Hengelmuller Von Hengervar, ambassador of Austria-Hungary to the United States, has received from Emperor Francis Joseph the grand cross of the Order of Leopold.

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## DEAUX AT NEW YORK FEBRUARY 22

Heading Today for Colombo, Where It Will Remain Two Weeks, Sperry's Fleet Will Then Proceed Without Stop to Suez and After a Series of Calls at Mediterranean Ports, Will Leave Gibraltar the First Week in February on Last Leg of 42,227-Mile Cruise.

Manila, Dec. 1.—With the long homeward bound pennants of the vessels streaming in the breeze that blew across Manila harbor, Uncle Sam's great fleet of battleships started from here today on the last leg of their cruise around the world. They will



ADMIRAL SPERRY.

stop at other ports before seeing the Atlantic coast of the United States rise before their eyes, but the stay in Manila which ended today was the last long sojourn of the fleet before reaching home.

The last leave-taking of the military and civil officers stationed here with the men of the fleet was a simple ceremony. In the presence of an assemblage of Americans and well known natives, Governor Smith in a short speech extended to Admiral Sperry and his men the best wishes of the islanders for a safe and pleasant voyage to the homeland. In reply the admiral returned his thanks for the hospitality shown to himself and his men and expressed their wishes for the continued prosperity and peace of the islands under Governor Smith's administration.

As the heavy smoke began to ascend from the smokestacks of the Connecticut, flagship of the fleet, and the kicking up of the water under her stern proclaimed the fact that her propellers had begun to move for the beginning of the end of the great cruise tremendous cheers and shouts of good wishes in various tongues arose from the crowds lining the shores of the bay.

It seemed as though all Manila and its suburbs had turned out to wish the vessels godspeed. Not even the enormous groups that lined the shores of Sydney harbor and gave our vessels so royal a sendoff at the Australian port were more enthusiastic than the Manila crowds.

The sixteen battleships after clearing Manila bay will head for Colombo, Ceylon, where they are due in two weeks. They will stay there for six days and then proceed to Suez without stop. They are due at the southern entrance of the Suez canal Jan. 5, and after leaving Port Said, at the northern entrance, where coal is to be taken on board, the vessels of Admiral Sperry's command will divide into squadrons and make a series of calls at various Mediterranean ports. In this manner the American ships will touch at Athens, Tripoli, Ville Franche, Marseilles, Genoa, Leghorn, Malta, Naples and Algiers. According to the present schedule the entire fleet will assemble at Gibraltar during the first week of February, and on Feb. 6 it will leave Gibraltar for either Hampton Roads or New York. The question of the final port in America has not yet been definitely decided. The vessels are due in Hampton Roads or New York Feb. 22. When the fleet reaches the United States, it will have traversed a distance of 42,227 miles.

### TERSE TELEGRAMS

Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) has just passed his seventy-third birthday.

Baron Von Call Zu Kulmbach and Rosenburg has been appointed Austrian ambassador to Japan.

Governor Magoon left Cuba today for Tampa, Fla., and will arrive in Washington Thursday.

The University of Helsingfors has accepted the American proposals for an exchange of professors.

At the tenth annual meeting of the Anti-Imperialist League Moorefield Storey was elected president.

Representative Theodore E. Burton of Ohio is an avowed candidate for the United States senate to succeed Senator Foraker.

President-elect Taft will deliver the oration at University of Pennsylvania at the university day celebration to be held on Washington's birthday.

A one-cent evening paper at Washington makes the announcement that its Sunday edition will hereafter appear in the afternoon instead of in the morning.

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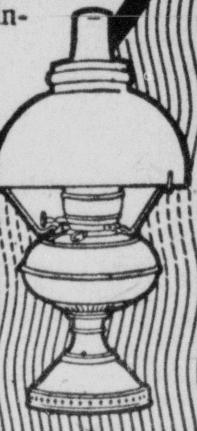
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### GENTS.

John Bajorek.

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T. J. Kern.

Mr. Sam Lucas.

Mr. J. R. Stewart.

WM. P. MASTERS, P. M.

Seymour, Nov. 30, 1908.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 1.—The wife of Henry McDonald, sent to prison for killing Detective Dwyer, has procured a writ of replevin for the revolver with which her husband shot Dwyer and wounded two police officers and a bystander in the courtroom last April. The constable who served the writ reported that he was unable to get the weapon from Chief of Police Jones. McDonald's attorney says the revolver will be recovered at any cost.

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